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LONDON'S NEW LORD MAYOR.



Alderman Vaughan Morgan, who to-day succeeds Sir John Pound. He was born in 1831, and is of Welsh descent. He was one of six brothers who created the firm of Morgan Brothers, merchants and bankers. In 1891 he was unanimously elected treasurer of Christ's Hospital.—(London Stereoscopic Co.)

THE NEW LADY MAYORESS.



Mrs. Hornby Steer, niece of the new Lord Mayor, who will act as Lady Mayoress during his year of office. She is the wife of Rev. Hornby Steer, vicar of St. Philip's, Kennington. Her first royal guest will be the King of Greece.—(Langfier, Old Bond-street.)

MANY HAPPY RETURNS OF THE DAY



His Majesty King Edward VII. completes his sixty-fourth year to-day. He is spending his birthday at Sandringham.—(D. Knights-Whiltome, Sutton, Surrey.)

J. G. GRAVES'

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ON THE INDIAN RAILWAY.

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RAILWAYS, SHIPPING, ETC.

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STONE'S WINES

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A Clergyman's Experience.

He tells how Guy's Tonic cured him of Indigestion after everything else had failed.

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To H.M. the King.

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IMPERIAL. MR. LEWIS WALLER. TO-NIGHT and EVERY EVENING, at 8.45. THE PERFECT LOVER. By Alfred Sutro. 8.15, a farce by W. W. Jacobs and Fredk. Fenn. THE TEMPTATION OF SAMUEL BURGE. MATINEE EVERY WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, 2.30.

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HOLIDAY APARTMENTS.

SOUTHSEA (Ashburton, Ashburton-rd).—Guests received; quiet; unfurnished room, suit couple; references.

KING'S BIRTHDAY HONOURS.

Duchess of Fife To Be "Princess Royal."

PEERS' PROMOTIONS

Lord Windsor Made an Earl, Lord Iveagh a Viscount.

SIX NEW BARONETS.

An unusually interesting list of honours was issued last night on the eve of the King's birthday.

The King has been graciously pleased to declare that his Majesty's eldest daughter, her Royal Highness Princess Louise Victoria Alexandra Dagmar, Duchess of Fife, shall henceforth bear the style and title of Princess Royal.

His Majesty has also directed that the daughters of her Royal Highness shall bear the style, title, and attribute of Highness, and also the style of Princess prefixed to their respective Christian names, and that they shall have precedence and rank immediately after all members of the Royal family enjoying the style of Royal Highness.

Lord Windsor, First Commissioner of Works, is raised two steps in the peerage, obtaining an earldom in place of his barony.

Lord Iveagh, the millionaire whose vast fortune was made out of the great Dublin brewing business of Guinness, has the dignity of a viscounty; and the only new peerage is conferred on Mr. Alexander John Forbes-Leith, of Fyvie Castle, Aberdeenshire, and 1, Grosvenor-crescent, S.W.

There are six new baronets and fourteen knights.

NEW EARL.

LORD WINDSOR, First Commissioner of Works since 1902, is in his forty-ninth year, and is the fourteenth baron. He was Paymaster-General, 1891-92, and in 1895 filled the Mayoralty of Cardiff. He is Lord-Lieutenant of Glamorganshire, a Deputy-Lieutenant for Salop and Worcester, and is the patron of ten livings. He commands the Worcestershire Imperial Yeomanry. He owns about 37,500 acres.

NEW VISCOUNT.

LORD IVEAGH (Edward Cecil Guinness), was formerly head of Guinness and Co., the famous brewers, of Dublin. On his retirement from active business he gave £250,000 for the erection of dwellings for the labouring poor. He was created first Baron Iveagh in 1891.

NEW PEER.

ALEXANDER JOHN FORBES-LEITH, Esq., of Fyvie Castle, Aberdeenshire, and Grosvenor-crescent. Prominent member of the Carlton Club. Large landowner in Scotland. Formerly in the Royal Navy; married a daughter of Mr. D. A. January, of St. Louis. The Leiths are descended from the old nobility of Scotland.

NEW BARONETS.

WILLIAM BEILEY AVERY, Esq.
Belongs to a well-known Warwickshire family. Large landowner in Warwickshire and Berkshire, and large subscriber to charity.

JAMES COATS, Esq.
Belongs to the well-known thread-spinning firm.

WILLIAM GOFF DAVIS-GOFF, Esq.
J.P. of Wexford and Waterford. One of the leading men of Southern Ireland.

S. WILLIAM DUNCAN, Esq.
J.P. of West Riding of Yorkshire; engaged in all kinds of public work.

JOHN REEVES ELLERMAN, Esq.
John Reeves Ellerman is the head of the Ellerman Shipping Line. He rendered good service in providing transports during the South African war.

RICHARD BIDDULPH MARTIN, Esq., M.P.
A well-known banker, who represented Tewkesbury in the 1880-85 Parliament, and has sat for the Droitwich division of Worcestershire since 1892. He has distinguished himself in philanthropic work, being hon. secretary of the Metropolitan Hospital Sunday Fund.

NEW KNIGHTS.

James Bailey, Esq.,
M.P. for Newington, proprietor of Bailey's Hotel, well-known for his work in the East End.

James Barr, Esq., M.P.
Well-known Liverpool physician.

Arthur Chance, Esq.,
President of the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland.

E. Couzens, Esq., Mayor of Plymouth.
Played a prominent part on visit of French fleet to Portsmouth. Thrice mayor of the town, and supported a great expense in entertaining the French visitors.

Havilland Walter de Saumarez, Esq.,
Judge of H.M. Supreme Court for the Ottoman Dominion.

Maurice E. Dockerell, Esq.
Head of the firm of Thomas Dockerell, Sons, and Co., Dublin, J.P.

Walter N. Fisher, Esq.
Senior partner in leading firm of accountants in Birmingham. Philanthropist.

Edward Cecil Hertslet, Esq.,
H.M. Consul-General at Antwerp.

Walter Johnson, Esq.
J.P. for County of London. Mayor of Hackney in Coronation Year. L.C.C. member of Hackney, and philanthropic and social worker.

James Knox, Esq.
Thread Manufacturer.

John McFadyean, Esq.
Professor at the Veterinary College, Camden Town.

J. Herbert Marshall, Esq.

Robert Purvis, Esq., M.P.

Commander Hamilton Pym-Smith.
Since retirement from Navy has been for thirty years an inspector for dangerous factory trades. Has done valuable work in arranging codes.

PRIVY COUNCIL.

The King has been pleased to direct that the following be sworn of H.M. Most Hon. Privy Council:—

SIR FREDERICK MATTHEW DARLEY, G.C.M.G., Lieutenant-Governor and Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of New South Wales.

ARTHUR COHEN, Esq., K.C., one of his Majesty's Council at the Venezuela arbitration at The Hague. Sat on various Royal Commissions.

ORDER OF THE BATH.

The King has approved the following promotions in and appointments to the Order of the Bath (Civil Division):—

TO BE KNIGHTS COMMANDER:—
The Hon. Sir Richard Solomon, K.C.M.G., C.B.
Prof. G. H. Darwin, F.R.S., President of the British Association.
Gordon W. Miller, Esq., C.B., Accountant-General of the Navy.
Thomas John Pittar, Esq., C.B., C.M.G., Chairman of the Board of Customs.

TO BE COMPANIONS:—
George D. Faber, Esq., M.P.
Louis Du Pan Mallet, Esq., Foreign Office.
J. P. Mellor, Esq., Assistant Solicitor, Treasury.
L. A. Selby-Bigge, Esq., Assistant Secretary, Board of Education.

SAVAGE FRONTIER FIGHTS.

Albanians and Turks Make Combined Attack Upon Montenegrins.

CETTINJE, Wednesday.—A fight has taken place on the frontier between Albanians and Montenegrins. Two of the latter and one of the former were killed. An Albanian was wounded.

A detachment of nizams from the blockhouses along the frontier then arrived, and opened fire in support of the Albanians, killing another Montenegrin and severely wounding two more.

The nizams of another blockhouse attacked some Montenegrin shepherds, killing one of them and wounding several of their sheep.—Reuter.

TO HARNESS VICTORIA FALLS.

Great Scheme To Transmit 500,000 Horse-Power to the Mines.

The African Concessions Syndicate has been in consultation with the leading American and Continental engineers and experts (says Reuter) on the subject of the transmission of power from the Victoria Falls to the Witwatersrand.

These authorities have unanimously expressed the opinion that the scheme is not only quite feasible, but would be commercially successful, especially as the climate of South Africa is one of the most suitable in the world for the transmission of power.

With reference to statements that the volume of water in the falls is not sufficient to produce the necessary power, it is pointed out that even in the driest season yet experienced, there is sufficient water to produce 500,000 horse-power.

CHINESE THREATEN AMERICANS.

HONG KONG, Wednesday.—Reports from Canton state that the anti-American feeling there is growing in intensity. An American lady has been spat upon in the street, and the United States Consul has received an anonymous letter threatening to take his life if the boycotters of American goods are not released from prison.—Reuter.

Princess Louise of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha (says Reuter) has appealed against the decision of the Court that it is competent to deal with her husband's divorce action.

NATION'S TRIBUTE.

Sir George Williams to Rest in St. Paul's Cathedral.

Sir George Williams, the founder of the Young Men's Christian Association, is to be buried in St. Paul's Cathedral.

The authorities have come to this decision "on the grounds that he was an eminent citizen who spent sixty years of business life in one house in St. Paul's-churchyard, under the shadow of the Cathedral; that he had been honoured with the Freedom of the City and knighted by the late Queen Victoria; and, also, that he was the founder of the Young Men's Christian Association."

There are now in operation 7,676 associations in forty-five nationalities, with a membership of 707,637, and buildings valued at £6,800,000.

Seldom have so many distinguished names been attached to any memorial as were on that asking the authorities to permit Sir George Williams to be buried in the Cathedral.

Amongst those who signed it were the Lord Chief Justice of England, the Lord Mayor of London, the Marquis of Northampton, the Earl of Stamford, the Bishops of Durham and Carlisle, Count Bernstorff, Lords Kinnaird, Polwarth, and Langford, Bishop Welldon, and the Lord Mayors and mayors of some thirty English towns.

Many well-known City men also signed it, and resolutions followed from Young Men's Christian Associations in nearly every country under the sun.

The funeral will take place at noon on Tuesday next.

TAMMANY WINS.

Its Nominee Elected Mayor of New York, but Mr. Hearst Will Appeal.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

NEW YORK, Wednesday.—After an exciting three-cornered contest Tammany has won the fight for the mayoralty of New York.

The results from some districts have yet to come in, but without these the figures are:—

McClellan (Tammany), 225,000.
Hearst (Municipal Ownership), 222,000.
Lyins (Republican), 135,000.

Mr. Hearst declines to admit defeat, and has declared his intention of contesting the election on the ground that 50,000 fraudulent votes have been cast.

In the fight for the District Attorneyship Mr. Jerome, the enemy of the "bosses," has once more scored a victory.

"THE REAL SOVEREIGNS."

American Citizens' Stirring Ovation to Our Admiral Prince.

BALTIMORE, Wednesday.—The popular character of the welcome which Prince Louis of Battenberg received yesterday in Baltimore distinguished it from the reception accorded to him in the other cities of the United States which he has visited.

At Annapolis, his welcome by the navy, though cordial, was arranged strictly in accordance with naval regulations, while his reception at Washington by the Government and the Diplomatic Body was also of a more or less formal nature.

Yesterday some 30,000 citizens of Baltimore shouted themselves hoarse. All party differences, emphasised as they have been recently by a keenly-contested election, were for the moment forgotten. One man remarked to Prince Louis: "You are now greeted by the real Sovereigns of the country."—Reuter.

SCORES OF PARENTS PROSECUTED.

Great indignation has been caused by the action of the Staffordshire Education Committee in prosecuting fully a hundred parents for sending their children into the hop country during the harvest instead of to school.

Funds are being raised to pay the fines. Mr. Brooke Robinson, M.P., is among the subscribers.

WIRELESS ELECTRIC BOAT.

BILBAO, Wednesday.—An interesting experiment was carried out here yesterday in the outer harbour. It consisted in driving and steering a boat by electric power stationed some distance away, that is to say, the propellers were worked by electric waves transmitted without wires.—Reuter.

TYPHOON WRECKS 2,000 HOUSES.

TOKIO, Wednesday.—A typhoon occurred yesterday, causing widespread devastation. In Oshima and the neighbouring islands over 2,000 buildings were destroyed, and a steamer was wrecked. No loss of life is reported up to the present.—Reuter.

GHASTLY BUTCHERY IN RUSSIA.

Peaceful Crowd Trapped by Treacherous Soldiers.

TRAMPLED TO DEATH.

ST. PETERSBURG, Wednesday.—Private letters received here from Minsk give terrible details of the butchery by the soldiery on October 31.

A crowd celebrating the issue of the Tsar's manifesto in front of the station met with awful treatment. Two companies of the Omsk Regiment were posted at the station, and when the demonstrators arrived one of the officers took off his cap and said, "I am with you." A second followed suit.

The president of the meeting called upon the crowd to disperse, which they proceeded peacefully to do. At this moment, without the least warning, the first company, posted on the railway bridge to the right of the station, fired a volley into their midst, killing and wounding many and causing an indescribable panic, in which hundreds of persons, including women and children, were trampled under foot.

POLICE FIRE ON CROWD.

Another volley followed, and then the second company also opened fire upon the struggling mass of people through the windows of the station and the buffet. In a few minutes the whole square was filled with killed and wounded. The fleeing multitude had to pass the police station, from which they were also fired upon.

The victims were conveyed in cabs, some to their homes and others to the hospitals. After they had been removed the station square was covered with pools of blood. Among the dead were the two officers who had sympathised with the demonstrators. About 400 persons were wounded.

It has not yet been ascertained who ordered the troops to fire.—Reuter's Special.

COUNT WITTE'S STRONG MEASURES.

ST. PETERSBURG, Wednesday.—Count Witte's first administrative act as Prime Minister has been to dismiss eleven governors in those provinces where the outrages against the Jews have been worst.—Laffan.

PROFESSIONAL JEW-BAITING.

ODESSA, Wednesday.—It is alleged that arrangements are being made for a fresh anti-Jewish riot, and that for this purpose numerous agents are disseminating rumours that the Jews have decided to take vengeance upon the Christians.—Reuter's Special.

ENGLISH FUND FOR RELIEF OF JEWS.

It is understood that an appeal is to be made by the leaders of the various Jewish bodies in London for funds to relieve the sufferings of their co-religionists in Russia.

COSSACKS SLAIN BY BOMBS.

News has been received, says a Reuter telegram from Batoum (South Russia), of a sanguinary conflict, lasting seventeen hours, at Nasakoirali, between a band of armed rioters and a force of 120 Cossacks, under the command of the District Governor.

A hundred and five of the Cossacks were killed, chiefly by bombs. The Cossacks had been burning the villages in the neighbourhood.

Helsingfors again presents its normal appearance, the workmen having resumed their ordinary occupations.

MIDNIGHT TELEGRAMS.

A guest at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel has reported to the New York police that he has been robbed of £10,000.

A middle-aged man, believed to be W. N. Harris, of Portland, Maine, has been found dead near Porto d'Anzio, twenty-five miles from Rome.

The State Department at Washington has been advised that a revolutionary outbreak has occurred in San Domingo, and a warship has been dispatched to restore order.

The Rev. Francis Thomas Scriven, formerly of St. Peter's Church, Earley, and latterly of Ascot, was found guilty at Reading Assizes yesterday of disgraceful offences. Sentence was postponed.

Owing to a religious provision in his will, which he probably inserted through a misunderstanding, a bequest of £22,000 by Mr. J. E. Williams, of Chester, to Welsh universities has been declared null and void.

TO-DAY'S WEATHER.

Our special weather forecast for to-day is:—Calms, and light, variable breezes; foggy in many places; fair locally; chilly and damp.
Lighting-up time, 5.18 p.m.
Sea passages will be smooth but foggy.

MORE BILLS FOR THE RATEPAYERS.

Winter Steamboat Folly Will Cost More Than Estimated.

REPAIRS AND LAWSUITS.

London ratepayers who were in the neighbourhood of the river yesterday took a mournful interest in the fact that, save for about an hour and a half, when the fog lifted, the County Council steamboats were not running.

Fog prevented their morning trips, and hardy City workers who still patronise the river had to go Citywards by omnibus or train. The *Daily Mirror* was informed that practically the only business at this season is done before ten o'clock in the morning, and that of late fog has regularly deprived the ratepayer of even this small consolation.

But it is only right to inform the ratepayers that far more serious than the mere loss of revenue is the enormous bill of expenses being added to daily owing to mismanagement of the service.

Twenty Boats To Be Repaired.

In estimating the loss during the next four months at £12,000, the Rivers Committee apparently overlooked certain heavy items of expenditure which will occasion the public some surprise.

About twenty of the boats will have to be docked for repairs in the next few weeks. At Messrs. Mills and Knight's yard on the Thames three of the Scotch-built boats are now being repaired; three others are being repaired by the Thames Ironworks Co., and many others are awaiting their turn.

The public have a right to ask how it is that in the case of four vessels that were new only this year the boilers have gone wrong. Yet in the Turner, the Shakespeare, the Edmund Ironside, and the Fitzaylwin serious boiler defects have appeared.

This week two of the boats—the Christopher Wren and the Pepys—were badly damaged by colliding in full daylight.

Another item in the bill will be the lawsuit pending between the Council and the General Steam Navigation Company and the Coast Development Company, in respect of pier dues at Greenwich. Whether the case comes before the Courts or is submitted to arbitration, it means legal expenses for the ratepayer.

Many Damaged Boats.

And the ratepayer, also, will have to pay the compensation due in respect of injuries received by passengers in two accidents and for the recent fatal accident to Mrs. Martha Wilson at Greenwich.

There are, according to an authority interviewed by the *Daily Mirror* yesterday, two explanations of so many boats being damaged.

"One is that, with one or two exceptions, the captains of the steamers were quite inexperienced when engaged. Had there been business men at the head of affairs, they would have selected experienced river captains, of whom there were a number available.

"In the next place, the engines and paddle-boxes are ten feet too far forward, with the result that the bows are too depressed, and the vessels very awkward to steer. And those who have charge of the steamers are not used to such high-power engines as they possess.

"To make a service of this kind profitable, great business experience must be put into it, otherwise there will be leakages everywhere—in the buying of stores and in the checking of tickets, for instance.

"At one pier, in place of the old piermaster, who has left, there are now one piermaster and two inspectors—two extra hands!"

BLANKET OF GLOOM.

Londoners Find the Second Day of Fog and Frost More Bearable.

London, swathed in fog and gripped by frost, was colder yesterday than many places in the far north of Europe.

The discomfort experienced by the citizens was not so great, however, as on the previous day. The cold was less keen and the fog lighter, and they were better prepared for both, while the traffic was managed with a readier appreciation of the conditions.

One result of the fog has been a large increase in the number of burglaries, additional police being required on duty, and the depredations of river thieves have caused the loss of thousands.

Many ships are fogbound in the Thames estuary, and Continental steamers have also been delayed in the Channel.

LUCKY EMPLOYEE.

Mr. T. E. Knightley, of Tulse Hill, a City architect and surveyor, who died worth £35,236, left the goodwill of his business to his chief draughtsman, Mr. Stradivarius Turner, and Mr. Thomas Batterbury, architect, in equal shares.

NEW ENGLISH CARDINAL.

Archbishop Bourne of Westminster to Receive the Scarlet Hat.

It is officially announced that Dr. Francis Bourne, Roman Catholic Archbishop of Westminster, is to be made a Cardinal.

The latest recipient of the Cardinal's hat is very young for the honour. He is only forty-four. But success came early in his life, and even in childhood those who knew him best expected great things of him.

"What is that for?" his aunt was asked when making a beautiful piece of Irish lace. "It is for my Frankie when he becomes a Bishop," was the quick reply.

"Frankie" at the time was only eight years old, but twenty-seven years later, at the extraordinarily early age of thirty-five, he was made Bishop of



(Elliott and Fry.)

Dr. FRANCIS BOURNE.

Southwark, and seven years after that he was raised to the place of highest eminence and power in the Roman Church in England—the Archbishopric of Westminster.

His latest appointment follows the usual precedent that an English Archbishop should be among the Cardinals, as were his predecessors Manning, Newman, and Vaughan.

PRICELESS MS. STOLEN.

Mysterious Theft of a Unique Relic from Gray's Inn Library.

Of priceless value, of a beauty acknowledged and admired by students the wide world over, and the choicest treasure in the library of the Honourable Society of Gray's Inn, Beda's "Super Cantica Canticorum" has fallen into the hands of thieves.

The dire discovery was only made a few days ago, and Sir Arthur Collins, treasurer of the Inn, states that there is not the slightest clue to the identity of the robbers or the whereabouts of the manuscript.

Mr. D. Douthwaite says that the manuscript was, along with others, exhibited in the hall of Gray's Inn on May 31 at a meeting of the London and Middlesex Archæological Society. After the meeting it was returned to its case in the library and locked up by the librarian.

The manuscript, which is numbered five in the library list, is a small folio of the thirteenth century, and consists of 154 leaves of vellum.

ARRANGED HIS OWN FUNERAL

Testator's Wish To Be Followed Only by Those Who Loved Him.

Quaint bequests were made by the late Mr. Edmund Couldery, of Lewisham, in his will, which has been proved at £6,489.

For conducting his funeral ceremony he left the vicar of St. Alphege, Greenwich, £100, expressing the wish that the service should be fully choral, "and that as little as possible in accordance with the rubric shall be said at the graveside."

He further desired that only those who had loved him should attend his burial.

To his companion and friend, Mr. James Watts, Mr. Couldery left £1,000 and his best dress Inverness cape, four pairs of his spectacles, and his opera-glasses.

THREE GENERATIONS UNITED.

Three generations of diplomatists have been united by the marriage, in London yesterday, of M. Pomponio Guzman, secretary of the Colombian Legation, and Isabel, daughter of M. E. Cortes, ex-Foreign Minister of Colombia.

The maternal grandfather of the bride was the late Mr. Robert Bunch, British representative at Caracas and Bogota.

HOME FOR DESTITUTE BARONET.

By the kindness of Roman Catholic friends, Sir William Kellett yesterday entered a home at Hartley, near Plymouth.

This does away with the necessity for the outdoor relief of 3s. a week granted by the Totnes Guardians.

THE KING'S BIRTHDAY

His Majesty Spends It Among His Family and Intimate Friends.

GOOD SPORT YESTERDAY.

King Edward will celebrate his sixty-fifth birthday to-day at Sandringham, surrounded by his family and a chosen circle of intimate friends.

The postal officials at Sandringham will have a busy day, for not only is the mailbag especially heavy on November 9, but all day long the telegraph wires are kept at work transmitting messages of congratulation from all parts of the world.

An enormous number of presents are received. Much care is exercised in the selection of the gifts. Visits are made in good time to Paris, in order to ransack the shops in the Rue de la Paix for suitable articles; and some entrust to a famous jeweller the task of evolving a novel and acceptble gift.

Early in the morning his Majesty will receive a visit from his grandchildren, who present him with their gifts, usually the work of their own hands, as are the presents from the Queen and his daughters.

Performance by Command.

His Majesty will not join his house-party until the hour fixed for the start of the shooting expedition of the day; and all other birthday gifts are kept until after dinner, when the real rejoicing of the day takes place.

Dinner on the King's birthday is a very ceremonious function. The menu is a short one, but the toasts drunk and the congratulations make the meal of some length.

At dessert the birthday-cake is cut by the King while his health is drunk. After dinner a performance of "A Privy Council" will be given by Mr. Frederick Harrison's company from the Haymarket Theatre.

His Majesty went partridge shooting in the Flitcham fields yesterday, but did not over-exert himself, leaving the cream of the shooting for his guests. He made full use of his bay cob in crossing the ploughed fields and stubble between Flitcham Abbey and Appleton.

The Queen and Princess Victoria took luncheon in a marquee with the sportsmen.

ARMY CENTURIES BEHIND.

Sanitation in the Field About the Same as in the Great Civil War.

Sanitation in the British Army when in the field has not advanced much since 1642, was the astonishing pronouncement of Dr. Leigh Canney at the Royal United Service Institution yesterday.

The sanitary state of the Army at Bloemfontein was similar to that of the Royalist and Parliamentary armies at Reading in that year, when both sides could not fight with each other, their efforts being required to deal with disease.

A great part of avoidable illness consisted of enteric, dysentery, and allied diseases. To avert the dangers of contaminated water orders were given that all drinking water be boiled. But the means at hand had all the disadvantage of immobility.

Thus the soldier, protected in peace, found himself "sanitarily immobile" in time of war. At the supreme moment that he was required, he was a helpless, immobile mass on the lines of transport, requiring nurses and liquid food.

He recommended the creation of water and pioneer sections.

FAMILY TRAGEDY.

Man Returns Home to Find His Wife and Children Dead.

A peculiarly pathetic tragedy has been reported to the Birmingham police.

Mr. Sidney Cowdrill, a jeweller, returning to his home in Majuba-road on Tuesday night, discovered his wife hanging from a rope attached to the top of the pantry door.

When cut down, the woman's body was quite warm, but all attempts to restore life were of no avail.

On the house being searched the dead bodies of the two children—Sidney, aged two and a half, and Ernest, barely a year old—were found.

There were no marks of violence, and it is thought death was due to suffocation. It is stated that Mrs. Cowdrill left a note indicating that she caused the death of her two children and then committed suicide.

SUBMARINE LIEUTENANT INJURED.

Lieutenant Crowther had his skull fractured and four seamen were injured in an accident at the submarine depot at Portsmouth yesterday.

BARON'S FUNERAL.

Miss Gertie Millar Sends a Wreath "In All Sympathy."

The body of Baron Gunther Rau von Holzhausen, the young German who shot himself in the boudoir of Miss Gertie Millar, the Gaiety actress, was buried yesterday afternoon in Kensal Green Cemetery.

But for those who were comparative strangers, the remains must have been interred, unmourned, in a pauper's grave.

As it was, two or three German friends whom the Baron had known in London bore the expenses of the funeral and followed as mourners.

The funeral started from the house in St. George's-road, S.W., in which the Baron lived for some time. The coffin of pine with brass fittings, bore the inscription: "Gunther Rau von und zu Holzhausen. Died October 29, 1905."

Several wreaths were sent, and among them were two of white roses and chrysanthemums, one from Mr. Lionel Monckton and another bearing the words, "In all sympathy, from his friend, Gertrude Monckton."

In the two mourning coaches were Mr. and Mrs. Fink and another lady, Herr Gochr, the Baron's great friend, and two other gentlemen. No member of the family was present.

The service for Nonconformists was used in the chapel at the cemetery. By the graveside a small crowd had collected, and there, with the chill grey fog of a November evening creeping on, the last few words of committal were spoken. It was the plainest, quietest funeral possible.

It is understood that an application has without doubt been made for a further inquiry into the circumstances preceding the young man's death.

BAD YEAR FOR THEATRES.

Mr. George Edwardes Explains Why the Gaiety Dividend Is Only 15 per Cent.

Mr. George Edwardes told the shareholders of the Gaiety Theatre yesterday that the last twelve months had been the worst period for theatres in his experience.

This was by way of explanation of the fact that the entertainments receipts had only advanced to £81,134 from £80,341, while the working expenses were £47,371, as compared with £37,718 for eight months preceding.

He regretted that they could not keep up the dividend of 20 per cent., but observed, with good reason, that once in eight years a dividend of 15 per cent. was not a bad one.

The report was not altogether satisfactory in the opinion of Mr. Kelvil, who seconded the motion for its adoption. A full house all the year round ought, he said, to produce £112,000, irrespective of bars, royalties, and tours.

STOCK EXCHANGE ARTISTS.

They Portray Scenes Not of Splendour but of Rustic Peace.

If you wish to obtain a peep into the inner minds of the gentlemen of the Stock Exchange, you cannot do better than look in on the exhibition of the Stock Exchange Art Society, opened at the Drapers' Hall, in Throgmorton-street, yesterday.

Here are some 300 paintings in oil and water-colour, photographs, and black-and-white drawings by members of the Exchange.

Paintings by these worshippers of wealth would, it might be thought, portray wealth and luxury in every form. Instead, simplicity and a fine appreciation of real beauty are their notes.

Here is a picture of a rustic bridge, set in a scene of river and woodland; there, a homely figure of a girl in a white cap with hands folded sedately on her lap; again, an ancient peasant woman knitting; a pastoral scene of harvesters and gleaming corn; and a Norway village nestling beneath a snow-capped peak and fronted by the blue waters of the lake.

MR. BALFOUR BUSY.

The Cabinet met yesterday for the first time since the prorogation.

Mr. Balfour has a busy time ahead. He will be the principal speaker at the Guildhall banquet to-night, will open a new dock at Seaham Harbour on Saturday, and will fill a round of engagements at the meeting of Conservative associations in Newcastle next week.

REFUSED TO IRON.

To Sir Smalman Smith, at Chiswick Police Court yesterday, a servant complained that she had been discharged because she refused to do the ironing.

The Magistrate: You refused to do ironing, and you are a general servant, and they discharged you. I should say it was quite right. I can give you no advice.

THE LAW AND THE GIRL.

Triumph of Phyllis, Who Ran Away from Her Father.

ROMANTIC STORY.

The cause of the heroine of a romantic story triumphed in the Law Courts yesterday.

The heroine was Miss Phyllis Meares, a girl of seventeen, who some time ago defied the law by running away from her father and refusing to go back to him.

Mr. George Owen Meares had obtained a divorce from his wife, and the law had given him the custody of his daughter. But the girl refused to comply with the order, and ran away to Belgium and France. Her action caused legal proceedings which attracted much attention a short time ago, and the knotty point was finally settled by the official solicitor becoming her friend and placing her with a family.

Phyllis's Prospective Fortune.

Yesterday this solicitor took action on behalf of Phyllis. By the marriage settlement she becomes entitled, under certain contingencies, to property worth £30,000, the income from which is at present enjoyed by her parents.

The costs of the divorce petition of Mr. Meares and other lawsuits arising over the marriage settlements amounted to close upon £500, and this was paid to the parents' solicitors out of Phyllis's prospective property by order of the Court.

The official solicitor now asked for this order to be set aside, on the ground that Phyllis was not represented in Court at the time, and the Court was not informed of this circumstance.

Solicitors Ordered to Refund.

Lord Justice Romer remarked that it appeared like A and B agreeing to take C's property. He would look upon it as a blunder, as an oversight on the part of the solicitors concerned. If the Court had known that the infant Phyllis was not represented the Court would never have agreed to take her property.

Lord Justice Mathew used the stronger expression "gross impropriety" in regard to the conduct of the solicitors.

The Master of the Rolls delivered judgment. The solicitors, said his Lordship, must refund all the costs they had received under the order, and bear the costs of the present application.

They were told, he said, and they accepted the explanation, that the solicitors were unaware of the flaw. But all that had been done must be undone.

DUKE'S CASTLE IN COURT.

Action Over a Beautiful Irish Seat Bought by the Duke of Manchester.

The Duke of Manchester bought for £63,000 his beautiful Irish seat—Kylemore Castle, Co. Galway.

This fact came out in the King's Bench Division yesterday, when Mr. Lorenzo Henry claimed £1,260 commission on the sale of the castle.

How this fine mansion and estate came on the market was related to the Judge.

It was built by Mr. Mitchell Henry, late M.P., and father of the plaintiff, but the owner, finding himself in embarrassed circumstances, made arrangements whereby the Friends' Provident Institution, Bradford, became mortgagees in possession for a sum of upwards of £60,000.

From the public officer of that institution Mr. Lorenzo Henry is claiming the commission for having introduced the property to the Duke and Duchess.

Judgment reserved.

RACEHORSE IN A CANAL.

Holoscope Enjoys a Bath and a Swim at the Liverpool Meeting.

A curious and unusual incident enlivened the Liverpool race meeting yesterday. Mr. T. Martin's Holoscope, after coming to grief in the Becher Steeplechase at the first fence in the country, went on to the canal turn, where, instead of turning to the left, he plunged into the canal, sending up the water to such a height that it was plainly discernible from the stands.

The horse appeared to appreciate his bath, as for some time he made no attempt to land, and disappeared from view, swimming apparently well.

Finally he got on to the bank, cutting himself in landing.

BEGGAR'S BRIDE IN WAITING.

A curious plea for a fine instead of imprisonment was made at Greenwich yesterday on behalf of a man who was sentenced for begging.

He was, it was said, to be married that afternoon, and his bride was waiting at the door. Mr. Baggallay refused to alter his decision.

LORD SHREWSBURY AND HIS WIFE.

How the Countess Was Locked Out and Lady Viola Had To Dig Potatoes for Their Meal.

For the greater part of yesterday the Countess of Shrewsbury was in the witness-box of Chancery Court I. detailing to Mr. Justice Kekewich and a throng of those who delight in the divulging of the secret affairs of great folk, the story that has prompted her to bring an action against her husband, the Earl.

In her narrative, which was of sustained interest, there were passages especially thrilling, as when she told how one of her housemaids shut the front door of Alton Towers in her face; how her daughter, Lady Viola Chetwynd-Talbot, had to dig potatoes out of the garden for a meal; also how Lady Violet on another occasion had to get through a window at Alton Towers to let her mother in.

The Countess's action is brought to enforce an agreement entered on, she contends, by Lord Shrewsbury in 1896. By this agreement they were to live apart, and the Earl was to keep up Alton Towers for her use and to allow her £4,000 a year.

Wearing her simple costume of black and her brown furs, as on the previous day, the Countess, who is a very beautiful woman, gave her evidence with great sang-froid and composure. When she thrilled the Court her voice remained even and calm.

Lady Viola as Housebreaker.

"I went to stay at Alton in 1902," she said. "When I drove up with my daughter we were told at the front door that the place was not available for us. Lady Viola went round to the back door and rushed through the house to allow me to enter the front door. An attempt was made to close the door, but Lady Viola pushed against it and forced it open.

"The housemaid admitted that she knew who I was, but said that she had been ordered to admit no one to the Towers. After we had been there some days the servants behaved properly, as they used to do.

"There were no preparations for our arrival. The silver and the house-linen had been locked up. We had to break open the cupboards to get the things we wanted."

"Was that the occasion when Lady Viola had to dig potatoes?" asked counsel sympathetically. Lady Shrewsbury replied that it was, as composedly as if it was no new thing for an earl's daughter to perform the duties of the kitchen gardener.

Through the Window.

It was in 1903, she added, that Lady Viola had to get through the window. On this occasion again no preparations to receive herself and her daughter had been made.

Counsel then read a letter in which the Earl signified to Lady Shrewsbury's solicitor his desire that she should discontinue her use of Alton Towers:—

> Whatever the legal effect of the agreement existing between us may be, I have always looked upon it as a tempora y arrangement, and I believe that the whole idea was that a possible reconciliation might take place.
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> But now, as there is no chance of that, I think that the agreement must be reconsidered, and, feeling very strongly as I do about Alton Towers, that it is to neither of our interests that her ladyship should go there; and, unpleasant as it is to write it, I feel I must tell you quite straight that I shall resist her going there as much as I can.

On this matter Lady Shrewsbury explained that she had an interview with the Earl at Euston Station. She told him that she was willing to give up Alton on certain conditions if, as was stated, it was wanted for the festivities in connection with the coming of age of her son, Viscount Ingestre.

"Lord Shrewsbury," the Countess proceeded, "told me that he did not wish me to reside at Alton Towers any longer. He said that if I did not give up my right to live there he would let the place tumble down and go to ruin."

"The Earl Was Very Poor."

Counsel now came to a delicate family matter. Did Lady Shrewsbury agree to give up a thousand pounds of her allowance when it was necessary to make financial provision for Lord Ingestre on his entering the Horse Guards Blue?

"At that time," she replied, "his lordship (the Earl) was very poor. I had to agree."

She added that she did not expect the reduction in her income to be permanent.

Questioned by Mr. Rufus Isaacs in his most courteous cross-examining manner, the Countess admitted that she only spent four months of the year at Alton Towers. She had apartments in Paris and a villa at Biarritz, where she spent much of her time for the sake of her health.

Asked to detail her complaints about the way the Alton Towers grounds were kept up, she said that the lower terraces were very untidy, and the paths were covered with weeds.

With regard to the house, Mr. Isaacs suggested that there were seven reception-rooms in use, and this was enough.

Lady Shrewsbury knitted her brows and made a mental calculation. There was her own sitting-room, his lordship's room, the schoolroom used by Lady Viola, a small dining-room, and a smoking-room.

She had not counted the bedrooms available for guests, she continued. There might be fifteen available out of a total of forty-five.

Only One Dinner Service.

It was the question of linen that had given her the greatest concern. She had only one set of double bed-sheets, and these she had to use for guests. The best linen had been taken away, and the schoolroom and nursery linen was in use. Moreover, there was only one dinner service.

"A large one," interrupted Mr. Isaacs. "Is not one enough?"

"Not when you have guests," was the reply of the peeress, taking the hostess point of view. "When one has friends one likes two dinner sets."

China had disappeared from the house mysteriously, her ladyship went on to complain, and embroideries that had been brought from Egypt. "You know the sort I mean," she said, bestowing a sweet smile on Mr. Isaacs.

The Countess and the K.C. were on the best of terms. Mr. Isaacs, with great consideration, had invited his fair cross-examinee to be seated.

He pointed out to her that after Lord Ingestre had come of age there was all the greater necessity to make him a suitable allowance. Was not the Countess content to go on receiving her reduced income?

A Daughter Who Is "Out."

The Countess retorted that her own expenses had increased. Lady Viola had made her debut. "A girl who is 'out' entails great expense," the Countess explained.

A letter from the Earl with regard to a complaint of insufficient plate and linen, etc., was read:—

> I don't propose to put down the carpet in the large dining-room, owing to the roof leaking badly, and letting water in. Until we get real summer weather it will be impossible for the man to get up there to repair it.
>
> There is ample linen at Alton, and sufficient plate in the way of what was used on the yacht, and the schoolroom and nursery plate. I cannot see my way to send any real silver there, as it was knocked about so much by her ladyship's jobbed servants, and my own plated stuff I have lent to Lord Ingestre.

There was just a touch of indignation in Lady Shrewsbury's tones as she denied that she had ever heard that the silver was damaged. The butler was one of Lord Shrewsbury's own nominees.

About the existence of a list of linen, including 293 towels and 177 table-napkins, at the Towers, Lady Shrewsbury said she had no knowledge.

"A Good Coal Year."

When Miss Wright, a member of the Countess's household, and formerly governess to Lord Ingestre, gave evidence, a letter was read in which the Earl, while disclaiming liability to certain financial demands, said that he was always ready to give the Countess something extra when he had "a good coal year."

Miss Wright denied that on the Countess's behalf she had agreed with Lord Shrewsbury to a reduction of the allowance.

Towards the end of the day the Judge suggested that the leading counsel on both sides could come to an agreement between them, but Mr. Warmington, K.C., said that the Earl's side demanded the giving-up of Alton Towers as a condition. This could not be accepted.

The Judge then remarked that the place might be given up for an equivalent.

Mr. Warmington, however, did not see his way to accept this proposal as a basis of negotiation.

Mr. Rufus Isaacs therefore opened the Earl's case. He said there was a minor issue concerned with the Shrewsbury-Talbot jewels, worth £20,000. The Countess claimed them as a gift to herself, but Lord Shrewsbury said that they descended from reigning countess to reigning countess. This matter would have to be settled.

The case was adjourned.

Photographs of the Earl and Lady Viola appear on page 6.

MILLIONAIRE PROSECUTOR.

The prosecution at Bow-street yesterday completed their case against Malcolm Henry Campbell, who was again remanded on a charge of demanding £30 with menaces from Mr. J. Hugh Smyth-Pigott, of Brockley Court, Somerset.

Mr. Smyth-Pigott is a millionaire, and Campbell was arrested at the Hotel Cecil after an interview arranged by the police.

WELSH BOY BANKRUPT.

When only thirteen years old, Thomas Rees, a carpenter's apprentice in Carmarthenshire, was playing "tip-cat," when the "cat" struck a girl in the eye, seriously injuring her. The father sought damages, and was awarded £75 and costs.

Rees yesterday underwent a public examination in bankruptcy, his liabilities being returned at £86 and his assets at nil.

BORDER ROMANCE.

Hon. Mrs. Chetwynd Loses Appeal Regarding Her Daughters.

It was in the Appeal Court yesterday that further light was thrown upon the sensational charge of abducting one of the daughters of the Hon. Mrs. Chetwynd, upon which Mr. Duguid and Miss Quayle were remanded by the Worham and Islandshire magistrates this week.

An appeal was made to their Lordships against an order of the President of the Divorce Division refusing a summons by the Hon. Mrs. Chetwynd for leave to have an independent physician to examine her two daughters.

Last May, said Mrs. Chetwynd, she visited her children, and noticed that her daughters were not in good health, and were in low spirits. Her elder daughter, she thought, looked consumptive.

In opposition to the application, Mr. Rawlinson, K.C., said that Mr. Christopher Leyland, who was appointed guardian of the children, had been a victim of great annoyance.

In 1901 Mrs. Chetwynd took the children away from the jurisdiction of the Court and removed them to South Africa.

Owing to he promptitude of certain solicitors they were brought back to England. In July, 1901, the children were placed in the custody of Mrs. Leyland Leyland, the mother of Mrs. Chetwynd, and they remained in her custody for some time.

In August, 1902, Mrs. Leyland Leyland died, and Mr. Christopher Leyland was appointed to his present position of guardian.

Since he took the custody of the children he had been subjected to continual annoyance of this kind.

In the result their Lordships dismissed the appeal with costs.

CHARGE AGAINST AN EX-M.P.

Amazing Case of Mr. Hugh Watt To Go Before a Jury.

Mr. Kennedy, the Marlborough-street magistrate, yesterday notified that at the next hearing he should order a committal for trial in the case of Mr. Hugh Watt, ex-M.P., who is charged with inciting various persons to murder Mrs. Julia Watt, from whom he was divorced some time ago.

Mr. R. D. Muir, who is defending, made an eloquent speech on behalf of his client, who, he said, had made for himself a position in society, commerce, and politics.

The charges against him were such which only a lunatic would be guilty of; they were not supported by the evidence of any reputable witness, and the only motive for them suggested was that Mrs. Watt should not, after his death, benefit by a deed of settlement which apparently she had never attempted to carry out.

Bail was allowed in two sureties of £500.

TALE OF TWO JUDGES.

Sit in the Same Court, but Meet in the Street as Strangers.

Judge Rentoul and Judge Lumley Smith both sit in the City of London Court—a fact which lends zest to what took place there yesterday.

Counsel suggested that in a certain case Judge Smith had consulted Judge Rentoul.

Judge Rentoul: Not a bit of it.

Counsel: But he said he would refer it to you.

Judge Rentoul: I never see him. We don't speak.

Counsel: I meant that at some time when you met he might have mentioned the case.

Judge Rentoul: When we meet in the street we meet as strangers.

IDLE LONDONERS.

How Manchester Values Education Ten Times as Much as London.

It is only too true that the average Londoner, as compared with the sterner north-countryman, is more concerned about opportunities for amusement than about opportunities for self-improvement. In Manchester the sales of Part I. of the "Harmsworth Self-Educator" were almost half the sales in London. Allowing for the enormous difference in population, London ought to have bought at least ten times as many copies as Manchester.

Seeing that knowledge is now universally recognised to be the key to advancement and success, the outlook is serious for those who fail to equip themselves properly for the battle of life. The wise should not allow to-day to pass without making arrangements with their newsagent for a regular delivery of the fortnightly parts of the "Self-Educator." Part II. is now on sale everywhere, price 7d.

ARCHBISHOP BACK TO WORK.

An authorative contradiction is given of the statement that the Archbishop of York contemplates resignation. His Grace is recovering rapidly, and is resuming work.

TO-DAY'S LORD MAYOR'S SHOW.

Interesting Features of the Great City Pageant.

THE LADY MAYORESS.

With all the pomp and ceremony that has distinguished the function for so many centuries, Lord Mayor Morgan was sworn in at the Guildhall yesterday.

First the high officers of the City conducted the Lord Mayor (Alderman Sir John Pound) and the Lord Mayor-elect to the court-room, where all the aldermen were assembled in their civic robes. The retiring Lord Mayor thanked the aldermen for their assistance during his year of office, and bade them farewell.

Then a procession was formed to the banqueting hall, where the Town Clerk administered the oath to the Lord Mayor-elect. Sir John Pound then resigned the mayoral seat to Mr. Vaughan Morgan, who was invested with the chain of office.

Bowing at every fourth step, the City Chamberlain advanced to the outgoing Lord Mayor and handed him the silver mace, the great seal, and the City mace, which were passed on to the new Lord Mayor. Sword-bearer and mace bearer similarly relinquished their emblems of office, which were immediately returned to them by Lord Mayor Morgan.

ROUTE OF THE PROCESSION.

Starting from the Guildhall at 12.30, the procession will travel through Gresham-street, Lothbury, Princes-street, by the Mansion House, and through Poultry, Cheapside, Queen-street, Budge-row, Dowgate-hill, Upper Thames-street, Queen-street, Cannon-street, Queen Victoria-street, New Bridge-street, Fleet-street, to the Royal Courts of Justice.

The return journey will be made by way of the Strand, Northumberland-avenue, Victoria Embankment, Queen Victoria-street, Queen-street, King-street, to the Guildhall.

To many the most interesting features of the procession will be the three great allegorical cars. The first of these, representing the "Entente Cordiale," will show France and England shaking hands across the British Channel. The second, called "Peace," shows the triumph of peace at the conclusion of the Russo-Japanese war. The third, on which there will be live sheep and the produce of various colonies, represents "The Colonies."

Other prominent features of the procession will be representatives of most of the London private fire brigades, a band from Dr. Barnardo's Homes, two cars showing boys of the homes at work at their various trades, and a detachment of boys from the Watts Naval Training School, with a gun.

The banquet in the evening will, as usual, be attended by the Premier, many members of the Cabinet, and most of the Judges.

As the new Lord Mayor has never married the position of Lady Mayoress will be filled this year by Mrs. Hornby Steer, wife of the Rev. Hornby Steer, vicar of St. Philip's, Kennington. This lady is well known in the south of London for her devotion to charitable work in the large parish in which her husband officiates.

UNHAPPY MARRIAGES.

Is It Impatience Which Leads So Many to the Divorce Court?

Several of the correspondents who address us in large numbers on this subject hold the view that people generally have far less patience than formerly, and that this leads most frequently to trouble between husbands and wives. Following are two from a number of letters received:—

My mother has often said to me: "My dear, your father was a dreadful trial to me at times, but he was a good husband taking him all round, and I always used to let his tiresome fits just wear themselves out."

That sort of wisdom is much rarer than it used to be, I fancy.

Nowadays, if a husband is not always good-tempered, and prosperous, and polite, and pleasing in every way, his wife will lose patience with him altogether, make up her mind that she cannot bear him, and tell him so in the most outspoken way. He naturally retaliates, and there is trouble.

Husbands are often just as bad. They do not make allowances for the difficulties of housekeeping or of bringing up a family. Either they grumble continually, or they have outbursts of annoyance—very unfair to the woman who is doing all she can to make them happy.

Patience is what married people want—a great deal of it. Without it they can never be happy.

Monument, E. GRISELDA.

Either there ought to be no divorce, or else it ought to be made simpler. However much wronged a poor man may be, he cannot get divorced. He has to suffer for being poor. LAW AGENT.

Chancery-lane.

LAST NIGHT'S NEWS ITEMS.

Several prominent Liberal Unionist members of Parliament were present at a private luncheon given by Mr. Chamberlain at the Devonshire Club yesterday.

A bazaar was held yesterday at the bottom of the large swimming-bath on the Beverley-road, Hull.

Through a fault in a steam crane a block of stone, weighing two tons, fell upon a man at Carronbridge Quarries, Sterling, yesterday, and killed him instantly.

An explosion of gas blew the windows of the Duke of Gloucester public-house, New-road, Whitechapel, right across the street yesterday. The landlord was injured.

While entering the Central Station, Liverpool, yesterday, an express collided with and derailed a detached engine. One passenger was so seriously injured that he had to be removed to the hospital.

At Bow Church, Cheapside, on December 18, the Rev. R. C. Fillingham, vicar of Henton, will, the ecclesiastical authorities announce, be brought before the Court of Arches on a charge of having ordained a Nonconformist minister, Mr. White, at Southend.

At the instance of the Incorporated Law Society the following solicitors were yesterday struck off the rolls for professional misconduct:—George Jason Phillips, St. Giles-street, Northampton; and Thomas Parker Orwin, Hamilton-road, Longsight, Manchester.

Questioned on Chinese labour at Blackheath, Guildford, Mr. Brodrick offered to pay the expenses to South Africa if anyone present would go out and do the same work as the Chinese in the mines there.

Two empty coaches left the rails during shunting operations at Waterloo Station yesterday, and for some distance the permanent way was torn up.

Knee-boots need not be taken by drafts of the Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery when proceeding on foreign service, says a War Office notice issued yesterday.

To her maidservant, Miss Louisa Mathews, of East Southernhay, Exeter, who died aged eighty-nine, bequeathed £800, her parrot and cage, and gold watch and chain.

Eighty rats in twenty minutes was one of the feats of Nell, a cross-bred terrier which has just died at Leeds. Her record kill was 170 in one night, during which a rat ran up the leg of a man's trousers, to Nell's great annoyance.

For non-payment of the poor-rate, which he considered was devoted to sectarian purposes, the Rev. Robert Curson, Primitive Methodist superintendent minister, was committed to gaol for a month at Newcastle-under-Lyme yesterday.

"If any of the parishioners think they would like to make an offering," writes the vicar of Castleton, Derbyshire, in his magazine, "I shall be glad to give a list of things necessary for the church." Meanwhile his choir remains on strike.

LADY VIOLA TALBOT,



Daughter of Lord Shrewsbury, who on one occasion had to dig potatoes at Alton Towers (their family seat) for her mother and herself.—(Speaight.)

LORD SHREWSBURY.



For not fulfilling his engagement to allow her £4,000 a year, the Countess of Shrewsbury has brought an action against her husband.—(Lafayette.)

Put up for auction, the organ now standing in St. Leonard's Church, Malton (Yorks), only fetched 16½ guineas.

Royal Emblem, the champion shorthorn at this year's Royal Show at Park Royal, has changed hands for £3,230 in the Argentine.

According to Judge Hamilton's ruling at Preston, if a man can ride a bicycle with a camera strapped on his back it is a proof that he is not drunk.

Owing to religious tests, the £20,000 scholarships left by the late Mr. J. E. Williams, of Chester, for North and South Wales University Colleges, cannot be accepted.

Birmingham's new pair-horse landau for use of the Lord Mayors is upholstered with claret morocco, and on the door is emblazoned the city coat of arms, with the motto "Forward."

Mr. C. G. Mott, chairman of the City and South London Railway, has died at Stanmore in his seventy-third year. He has been a director of the Great Western Railway since 1868.

Thieves who stole from the Accrington Hippodrome a large safe, which could only be lifted by several men, considerately returned the handcart on which they had carried away their booty.

Lawyers hope to reap a golden harvest for considerably more than a year as a result of the litigation expected to follow the collision in the Suez Canal between the Chatham and the Clan Cumming. Shipowners are crying out for demurrage.

The Lord Mayor of Liverpool has been offered a decoration of the Legion of Honour by the French Government.

Large shipments of new quick-firing field guns have, says an Aldershot telegram, been ordered for India this month.

The cost of restoring Winchester Cathedral, writes the dean, will probably amount to £20,000, to meet which there is no fabric fund.

Stubbornly refusing to walk when arrested for begging, a tramp had to be taken to the Grimsby Police Station in a trap specially hired.

Extravagant salaries in Dundalk, Co. Louth, are unknown. Patrick Wynne has been appointed to take charge of the steam boilers in the workhouse at 6d. per week and rations.

Two boys were playing with an old gun at Bretherton, near Preston, when it went off, and one of the lads, William Holden, received a bullet in his cheek. The missile has been extracted.

Attributing her longevity to simple living in the country, Mrs. Catherine Scott celebrated her 101st birthday at Hirst (Northumberland), surrounded by a large number of her hundred descendants.

Instead of attending to their duties as firemen when a blaze broke out at Fulshaw, it is alleged that three members of the Wilmslow (Cheshire) Brigade continued playing in a band at a local flower show. On the scene of the fire itself, it is further stated, only one man wore his helmet. Inquiries are to be instituted.

"DAILY MAIL."

THE MONEY MARKET.

Expected Large Increase in Home Railway Traffics.

ALLSOPPS FIRM.

CAPEL COURT, Wednesday Evening.—A more sanguine view is taken of the money situation, especially in connection with the coming repayment of Exchequer bonds. The money market is certainly managing to repay the Bank of England its indebtedness with great ease, and a large amount of gold is on the way to this country.

Nobody expects that the Bank rate may rise to-morrow, but, of course, accidents may happen. Still, if it does not go up, the gilt-edged market looks like being firm. Consols closed at 88 13-16 to-day, and they had been better.

Of course, everybody nowadays is talking about Home Rails. Keen eyes watch the traffics on a Wednesday, and certainly to-day it would have required a very severe critic to find fault with them. Although the comparison was with good showings last year, the various lines came out with a thumping improvement.

Trade is evidently making great headway, and, with eight weeks' more good traffics in store, it really looks as though, allowing for under-estimation of traffic, some of the leading lines will wind up with over £200,000 increase in traffics for the half-year.

SCOTTISH STOCKS GOOD.

At first Home Rails were very good. Then there was a spell of profit-taking, for, of course, there has been a good deal of speculation, and prices are affected by profit-taking sales as the settlement draws near. That need not worry the genuine investor. To-day perhaps Scottish stocks were as good as most things, but the stocks of our great goods-carrying lines keep very firm. But at the finish various wild rumours were circulated to frighten speculators, such as the assassination of Count Witte.

As the New York Stock Exchange was closed yesterday there was nothing from Wall Street to worry or help us. The result of the New York municipal election was thought satisfactory.

FOREIGN MARKET BAD SPOTS.

In the Foreign market the tendency was not bad at first, but when the rumours aforesaid began to circulate prices began to slip off, or rather, perhaps, it was the other way round. The "bears" were having their innings in other markets to force out the weak speculators, but the adverse rumours, of course, if they were true, mostly affected Foreigners.

There were one or two bad spots in the Foreign market, a nasty shake-out of speculators in Peruvian Corporations to the accompaniment of rumours of a coming bad report, and a shake-out also in copper shares. They were talking of the imminence of the Japanese loan again, and of the possibility of a settlement of the Provincial Cedulas business.

In spite of the uncertainties about the Allsopp amalgamation rumours there was no mistaking the firmness of Allsopp securities.

UNPROMISING NEW ISSUES.

Mining markets were rather dull, though at one time Kaffirs looked like going better, especially some of the German favourites.

There is a good deal of market criticism about one or two recent new issues, it being thought that the prospectuses are not encouraging features from the market or any other point of view. Some strong comments are made on the subject of the Nigerian Bitumen Corporation.

The very heavy underwriting commission of 10 per cent. in shares and the easy terms whereby, if only 25,000 shares are subscribed, a substantial amount in cash is received by the underwriters are condemned. The tying-up of vendor shares given to the vendor company, while a premium is being bid in the market for the others, is another point, as the vendor company's own shares are none too marketable at present low prices.

Market men rightly think that the prospectus will not do the West African section much good. The City of Rosario bonds also seem to be received with none too much favour by those who remember the long defaulting period of this municipality only too recently terminated.

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AN INSTRUCTIVE CONTRAST.

HAVE you noticed the contrast between the American way of electing mayors and our way? We let councils and corporations quietly choose their own chairmen. In the United States they are elected by the whole mass of voters. There is a tremendous amount of tall talk and drum-beating.

Does all the fuss and racket result in the Americans getting better men for mayors than we do? Not a bit of it. Rather the contrary, in fact. Our mayors are often dull, but they are very seldom dishonest. Theirs frequently are. A man can fool the public at large much more easily than he can fool his fellow-councillors.

Is'nt this just typical of the difference between our methods and American methods all round? They believe in making a noise whenever they are going to do anything. We have a preference for doing the cheering when a thing is done. Take a few instances.

About two years ago an American quick-lunch place was opened in the Strand. The promises about its quickness were astonishing. It turned out, as a matter of fact, to be no quicker than other restaurants. Then the proprietor opened another place close by which was to be even more wonderful. That has just collapsed altogether!

Then think of the "blowing" that went on about what American enterprise would do with the Underground Railway. Well, they have electrified it, and we are thankful for that, but even now it is not as competent or convenient as the "Twopenny Tube," which was planned and built and opened without any boasting whatever.

Again, remember the Tobacco Trust which was to do such marvellous things. No one ever hears of it now. Remember the Atlantic Shipping Combine which only saved itself by getting an Englishman to take the wheel, and proved that the great Mr. Pierpont Morgan had no sea-legs. Remember other American projects which have promised so much and performed so little.

We need not think, then, that the Americans get any better results than we do out of the municipal system because they raise so much more dust. Our plan of selecting mayors is quite a good one, if they really are selected—if the choice is not merely a matter of form. That is what it has become, unfortunately, in the City of London, and that is why the Lord Mayor commands so little respect.

His absurd procession, which causes immense inconvenience without giving the public anything of a show, is partly responsible for the popular attitude of tolerant scorn.

Still, this is not the main cause of the Lord Mayor being so little regarded. The principal reason lies in everybody knowing that a man can become Lord Mayor simply by waiting for the post. He need never have done anything to deserve it. That is not the case with the London County Council chairmen. They are chosen because they have served their fellow-citizens well.

Until the City Corporation makes the election of Lord Mayor a reality, instead of letting its aldermen just take the dignity in turn, it is bound to be regarded as a sham. And in the near future—perhaps the very near future—all shams have GOT TO GO. F.

A THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

Many years of happy days befall
My gracious Sovereign, my most loving liege,
Until the Heavens, envying earth's good hap,
Add an immortal title to his crown.
—*Shakespeare.*

THIS MORNING'S GOSSIP.

THE memorial service to the late Lord Montagu, which was held at St. Margaret's, Westminster, yesterday, was attended by large numbers of those of his friends who were unable to go down to Beaulieu for the funeral. Few people have been more respected by all who knew him, and for miles around his Hampshire place, Palace House, he was regarded as feudal chiefs were in far-off mediæval days—a "lord of the manor," who was so in a far more real sense than that usually implied by the phrase. The postman, for instance, would invariably take Lord Montagu his letters first—even if, in order to get to Palace House, he had to pass other houses and return to them, a mile or so out of his way, afterwards.

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Once I remember that Lord Montagu was seen talking in a village shop to one of the tradesmen with whom he dealt. After he had gone a stranger in the place asked a little boy who was gazing open-mouthed at the white-haired gentleman in the shop who "that man," who seemed to excite so much attention, was. "That ain't a man," said the little boy, "that's the lawd o' the manor." He evidently thought that Lord Montagu was a being separated by a decree of Nature's from the common herd of men.

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It is a relief to see that an architect of the authority of Mr. John Belcher, A.R.A., has protested at last against the arbitrary manner in which the streets of London are laid out. For the past five years or so about a quarter of the City has been demolished, at the immense inconvenience of poor pedestrians on the dusty pavements, who have had to breathe up bits of mortar, and occasionally to receive the stones that the builders rejected upon their heads. Then any style, however incongruous with surroundings, is adopted in the buildings which replace those swept away.

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Mr. Belcher himself has, on the other hand, shown that he knows well how to design a street which shall be neither monotonously uniform nor alarmingly varied in style. He has been an architect ever since boyhood, with few pastimes outside his work. It is said, however, that he used occasionally to amuse himself by singing, and he did this once at a certain dinner-party before a considerable crowd of people. Towards the end of the evening he overheard two people talking about him in a corner of the room. One said: "Who was that professional who sang just now?" "That was Mr. Belcher, an architect." "Well," said the first speaker, "he can't be much of an architect if he can sing like that." So from that day Mr. Belcher sang no more in public.

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A good deal of gossip goes on in political circles about the chances after the long-expected election. Who is going to withdraw, and who to remain? It is said that Mr. Gerald Loder, for one, will not contest Brighton, which will be a sad bit of news for his constituents there, whose hearts he won some fifteen years ago when he first came before them as a candidate. In those days the people used to call him "the baby," because of his ever-youthful appearance. But in spite of youth, which is so often a disadvantage to politicians, doctors, and barristers, he won the seat at his second election, assisted by his wife, Lady Louise Loder, who is, he always declares, the best canvasser he has.

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The Hon. James Hozier, son of the aged Lord Newlands, is another member who will retire at the general election. He entered the House in 1886, after Mr. Gladstone's first essay in Home Rule. He acquired, almost at once, a reputation for deep-chested cheering, and during the stormy sessions of that time was heard below the gangway urging Mr. Balfour onwards and endeavouring to discourage Parnell. Besides his voice, Mr. Hozier has had a wonderful talent for languages to help him in his career. It was that which gained him a place in the Foreign Office under very difficult conditions.

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When Mr. Hozier was at Balliol, Jowett, that shrewd architect of young men's futures, had, needless to say, noticed this gift in him, and it was he who secured him a nomination for the Foreign Office. But there was a difficulty in the way—an examination which had to be faced in a week. Jowett asked the young man whether he could "get up" four languages in a week. Mr. Hozier took his chance, went in, and came out first of all the nominated candidates.

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To be an irreproachable private secretary to a single employer for thirty years is, everybody must admit, a remarkable achievement—how much more remarkable, then, is the record of Sir William Soulsby, who, for thirty years, has been the irreproachable secretary of thirty people—thirty Lord Mayors of London, all wanting to have their duties explained them. The City of London, however, rather than the changing mayors, has been employing Sir William, and probably nobody alive has a securer knowledge of its affairs. Remember what the Lord Mayor's position is—how he has to keep open table every day for the hundreds of people who call upon him; how he has to answer thousands of letters from the importunate in every corner of Great Britain, and you will realise that Sir William deserves to be called one of the hardest workers in the world.

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Sir William has received more foreign potentates probably than any other Englishman but the King himself. He has welcomed a German Emperor, the present Tsar of Russia, the two preceding Tsars, the Queen of Holland, the King of the Belgians, the Kings of Denmark, Sweden, Portugal, Spain, Greece, Italy, and Rumania, as well as Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria and the Shah of Persia. More than £1,000,000 have passed through his hands in the shape of Mansion House funds. He has to open, read, and attend to some 700 letters a day. He has had, also, to adapt his temperament to every kind of Lord Mayor—the Lord Mayor pompous, the Lord Mayor irascible, the Jew, the Catholic, the Anglican Lord Mayor. Truly, his has been a wonderful experience, perhaps not altogether enviable.

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November weather, "moist and unpleasant," having now firmly settled upon London, it is not surprising that many of those who can afford to do so are escaping to more endurable climates. The Roman season has now well begun—the autumn months are generally delightful there, for though it is often cold, the air is generally clear and cheering. A good many well-known English people are staying at the Grand, the most luxurious of Roman hotels. Amongst the latest arrivals there have been Prince George William of Brunswick-Lunebourg and Princess Marie of Saxe-Meiningen.

A SUGGESTION FOR THE LORD MAYOR'S SHOW.



The announcement that Mr. George Edwardes, of the Gaiety, has joined the Volunteers suggests that other leading managers will probably hasten to follow his example. Why not invite them to take part in the Lord Mayor's Show? (From right to left: Mr. Alexander, Mr. Tree, Mr. Lewis Waller, Sir Charles Wyndham, and Mr. Martin Harvey.)

THROUGH THE "MIRROR."

LIVING WITHOUT WORKING.

"Pulex Irritans" seems to want to convey the idea that if commerce came to a standstill everybody would starve. He seems to be labouring under the delusion that money is of intrinsic value.

Does "Pulex Irritans" not know that whatever ways we may make use of to acquire and keep money, all will end in the fruits of the earth and the animals that are supported by them?

Does he not know that the greater part of mankind for nearly 4,000 years lived solely by agricultural pursuits? If he argues there are more people upon the earth now, he is mistaken. Montesquieu says: "There is scarcely the fiftieth part of men upon the earth now that there was in the time of Julius Cæsar." EDGAR SHARPE.
Walworth.

MOTOR-CARS IN THE FOG.

To-day we had our first fog of the winter. It was very thick from 8 a.m. till 10.30 a.m. The traffic was disorganised, and crossing the road dangerous.

What struck me was the especial danger of motor-cars. They ought not, I think, to be allowed to go about in thick fog.

Several I saw going quite fast, and one nearly ran into me in Buckingham Palace-road. That was not travelling very quickly, but it was dangerous all the same. Could not the police act in this matter?
W. H. T.
Grosvenor-place, S.W., November 7.

IS HUNTING CRUEL?

To ask the above question is to answer it. Furthermore, to debate the morality of cruel amusements is to acknowledge their immorality.

Scientific morality and humanity teach us that when unfortunately certain animals have to be killed no pleasure should be got out of the business, which should be executed as painlessly and quickly as possible. REGINALD W. MARTINDALE.
Clifton, Bristol.

THE UNEMPLOYED.

Mr. Balfour says the Unemployed Act must be put in force by private charity. May I ask through your columns whether he has contributed to this end? I am only a poor man with a wife and two children, but if I see Mr. Balfour heading a subscription list I shall certainly send in my mite.
Shrubland-road, N.E. A CITY CLERK.

IN MY GARDEN.

NOVEMBER 8.—The rain is over. Delightful it is to wander through the morning garden again, watching the steamy mist slowly roll away, and greeting at last a blue November sky.

How still a windless November day is—the distant caw of the rooks, the robin's occasional note, the patter of falling acorns, are the only sounds to be heard.

To-day but few blossoms can be found in the garden. Yet, as if to remind us that flower-time is only just over, a tall spike of white lupin rises from a bare, flat border, an over-brave tritoma flings high a ruddy torch. E. F. T.

The "Country-Side," Mr. E. Kay-Robinson's delightful journal of outdoor life, is this week issued in the form of a special number, price threepence. It is a charming publication, beautifully printed, and profusely illustrated. Any newsagent can supply a copy to-day.

PHOTOGRAPHS.

MASTER HORNBY STEER.



Son of the Lady Mayoress, who will live at the Mansion House, and act as her page during her year of office.—(Vandyk.)

REV. HORNBY STEER,



Husband of the Lady Mayoress, who will act as chaplain to the Lord Mayor during his year of office.—(Weston.)

ITEMS OF THE LORD MAYOR'S BANQUET.



The top picture shows the artistic invitation-card sent to each guest bidden to the Guildhall feast. The lower picture shows a fine cargo of turtles just arrived in time to be made into luscious soup for the banquet. Those which died a natural death are turned into soap.

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ALLEGED ATTEMPT TO KIDN



Widespread interest is evinced in a mysterious story of kidnapping. Two persons, before the Norham magistrates, accused of conspiring to decoy Amelie Mary C Mrs. Chetwynd. Bail was refused, and the accused were removed to Newcastle Gaol. on the right, Miss Quayle entering the train for Newcastle. Yesterday at the Law Co gard to

MISS ALICE CRAWFORD,



Who is appearing at Sandringham to-day by royal command in "A Privy Council."

KING ALFONSO



The young King of Spain driving That same activity which characte the Germ

VENTS IN PICTURES.

THE CHETWYND CHILDREN.



Thomas Irving Duguid and Miss Hetty C. Quayle, have been placed in the dock
wynd, aged thirteen, the daughter and heiress of the Hon. Richard Walter and
he picture on the left shows Duguid entering Berwick Station en route for Newcastle;
the Hon. Richard Chetwynd and Mrs. Chetwynd were engaged in litigation with re-
children.

SITS THE KAISER



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stonishment.

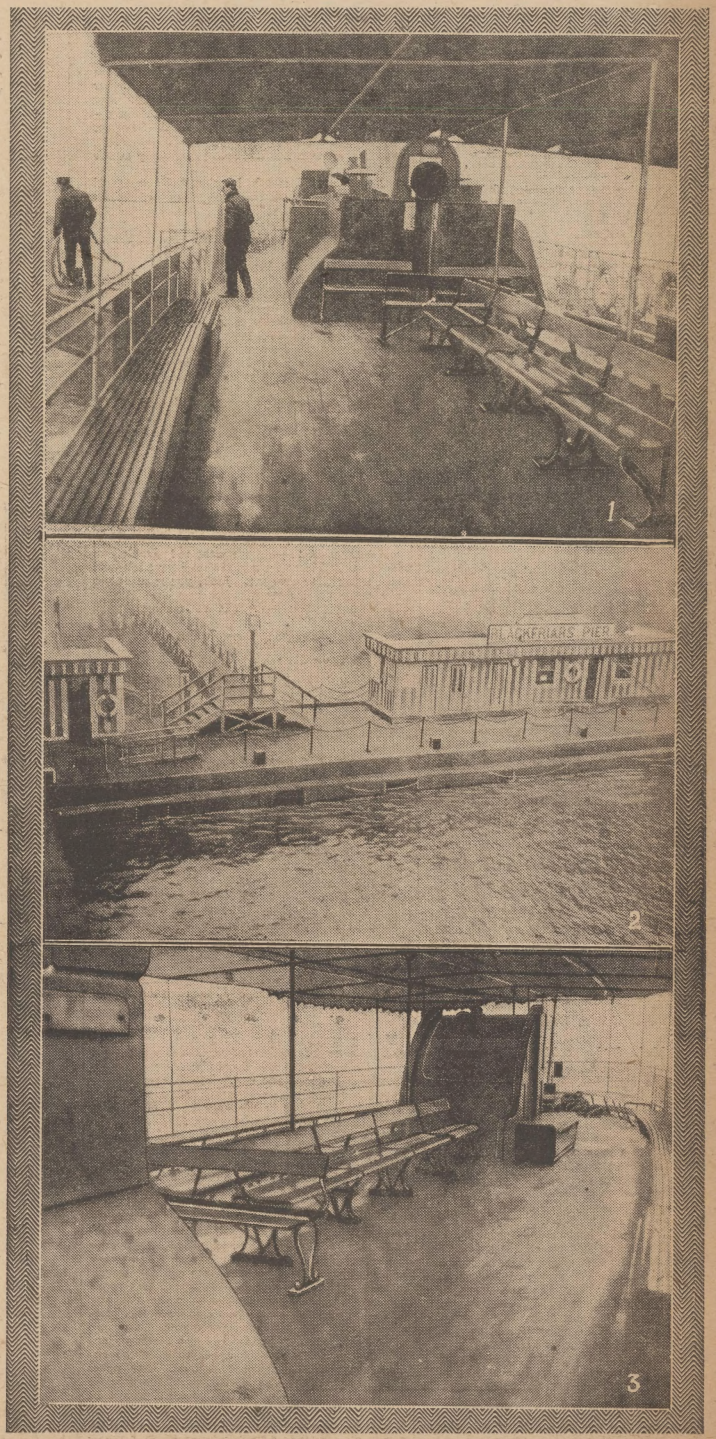
DUCHESS OF MECKLENBURG



It is rumoured that the young Duchess Marie Antoinette is about to be betrothed to the King of Spain.

L.C.C. THAMES STEAMER WINTER FIASCO

PHOTOS OF DESERTED STEAMERS ON THE THAMES.



The London County Council is indulging in a very expensive enterprise by running Thames steamers that no one wants to travel on in the winter. The photographs show—(1) a steamer with a solitary passenger on board; (2) Blackfriars Pier, desolate and empty, although a steamer is coming alongside to pick up passengers; and (3) a fareless steamer pursuing its purposeless way. The L.C.C. losses on these steamers up to date are £57,000.

'THE WOMAN TEMPTED ME.'

By ANNIE AUMONIER.

CHARACTERS OF THE STORY.

RICHARD BALSHAW, supposed to be a wealthy traveller—in reality Ronald Carstairs, an ex-bank manager, newly released from prison, after serving four years' for extensive fraud.

ROSE KING, a beautiful girl of poor birth, passionately in love with Carstairs.

CLARE MAINWARING, a charming young girl, whom Richard Balshaw loves. She became engaged to Ivor Armytage during Balshaw's supposed absence abroad.

DETECTIVE-SERGEANT VANCE, a clever and ambitious officer.

AN UNKNOWN LADY.

JOHN PYM, secretary to "Mr. Richard Balshaw," alias Roland Carstairs.

MRS. WILBRAHAM, a fascinating widow.

COLONEL MAPPERLEY, an old Anglo-Indian officer.

FOR NEW READERS.

On a foggy morning Roland Carstairs, alias Richard Balshaw, is discharged from prison, after serving nearly five years for having defrauded the bank, of which he had been manager, of £30,000. Two women await his exit—Rose King, a girl of poor family, but of great beauty, whom he has known during his time as a provincial bank manager, and an unknown woman, to whom he takes a message from a fellow-prisoner, still unreleased.

His meetings with both women are observed by Detective-Sergeant Vance.

During the course of his frauds he has built up an imaginary figure, that of "Richard Balshaw," an explorer and big game shooter. On his return from prison, by the aid of his faithful friend and secretary, John Pym, he returns to society under that alias.

He is infatuated by the charm of a high-born lady, Miss Clare Mainwaring, who, during his incarceration, has become engaged to Ivor Armytage. His position is further complicated by the love of his old sweetheart, Rose King, and by the effusive affection of a young and fascinating widow, Mrs. Wilbraham, who has a strong idea of the identity of "Richard Balshaw" with Roland Carstairs. Richard Balshaw recognises Mrs. Wilbraham as the woman to whom he delivered the message from his fellow-prisoner. He meets her suspicions with perfect sangfroid, though he is greatly perturbed in his mind. He must preserve her present state of doubt and uncertainty until the services of John Pym could be obtained. The question he must answer is: What was the link between Mrs. Leo Wilbraham and Burke Foskett, at present undergoing a ten years' term of penal servitude for a "long firm" swindle and now lying grievously sick in the prison infirmary?

The fascinating, red-lipped Mrs. Wilbraham plays with him as a cat with a mouse, but Balshaw emerges from several trying conversations in triumph. The man's forceful personality carries him through.

Late in the night Mrs Wilbraham leaves her room, intending to post a letter she has just written. In a dimly-lit corridor she encounters Richard Balshaw, who has just left his room for the same purpose. She detains him in conversation for a few seconds, and suddenly a door opens near them. "You mustn't be found here—with me," Balshaw whispers. "Quick, slip along into my dressing-room!" A faint fluttering of a woman's trailing gown, and Mrs. Wilbraham has gone. Ivor Armytage comes through the door which has opened and meets Balshaw—alone. The men pass each other without a word. Balshaw posts his letters, and on his way back to his rooms discovers that burglars are in the house. But he cannot give the alarm until Mrs. Wilbraham has returned to her rooms. This she does in safety, but when she has gone Balshaw discovers that some love-letters, written to him by Clare Mainwaring some time ago, are missing from his writing-table. They have been stolen, and there is only one person who could have stolen them—the woman just gone from him.

The alarm is raised, and Postern Abbey is soon a scene of excitement and confusion. Balshaw's rooms are full of people, for a ladder is discovered placed against his window. Ivor Armytage, searching round for clues, comes across a small, scented handkerchief in the bedroom. It bears the initials "G. W." and he immediately guesses to whom it belongs. After showing it to Balshaw, he gives it to Mrs. Wilbraham.

Rose King is a poor Leicester girl, whom Ronald Carstairs loved before his imprisonment. She is still passionately in love with him, though, on his release from gaol, he told her to forget all about him. John Boddlicott, a working-lad of Leicester, is in love with Rose King, and as he is seeing her home she meets Detective-Sergeant Vance, whose acquaintance she made when she went to London to meet Ronald Carstairs on his release from Pentonville Gaol.

CHAPTER X. (continued).

"It's your first visit to Leicester, then?" said Rose.

Vance nodded. If he could keep himself dissociated from Scotland Yard, so much the better; but he had no intention of proceeding to extravagant lengths in order to do so. He believed in simple, natural methods.

"It was a grand match on Saturday," he said deliberately.

He looked like a man who would be interested in football. Rose concluded from his remark that he had been drawn to the town by a great game played between Leicester and a Colonial team that was sweeping all before it. His eyes wandered for a moment to Jack Boddlicott. The latter was hovering about in the background, painfully conscious that Rose had forgotten all about him, and shuffling his feet in a pathetic endeavour to call attention to himself. When Vance looked at a man he tried to read him. He read the honest, earnest Boddlicott at a glance. His eyes wandered back to the young woman's tragic face, tragic for all the friendly, grateful smile conjured up by the memory of his small service to her. He felt sorry for her, touched. The stolid-faced man carried a big heart under his waistcoat. Vance, the man, and Vance, the detective, had had many a sharp tussle together in the past.

He held out his hand to Rose.

"But I'm keeping you," he said. "It's nice to have seen you again."

"Thank you again," she whispered with intensity. "I don't yet know your name—I should like to; I shall never forget."

"Gedge," replied Vance. "Samuel Gedge."

Rose wished that she could have shown him some little hospitality; but it was impossible. She never knew in what condition she would find her father on her return home. He had not been home for the last three nights. He might be there, or he might not, on her return. She had ceased troubling much about him.

Vance raised his cap. Her dark eyes flashed gratitude—her heart had a way of speaking through her eyes—as she returned his salutation with a bow that was full of natural grace.

"Good-bye, Mr. Gedge. Maybe we shall be meeting again one of these days. I hope so." There was natural music in her voice, with its slight sing-song inflection. Coquetry was foreign to her nature. She simply meant what she said. Her trouble was to say things that she did not mean—this wild, undisciplined, passionate child of nature.

"Who was that, Rose?" questioned Boddlicott, drawing level with her somewhat diffidently as she went her way.

"Oh, someone I met in London," she answered impatiently; then, catching sight of his pained expression, she bit her lips and hated herself for her unkindness. "There, Jack," she added, "I'm sorry; but you mustn't mind me. I'm in one of my moods to-night."

She turned on him fiercely.

"Why do you waste your time over me, Jack?"

"You know why!" His voice trembled.

"Because I love you—that's why!"

She pressed her hands to her ears with a well-noted cry of pain. With some women a confession of love—no matter from whom it may come—is a source of curious joy. To Rose it was positive pain. She turned on him again, but pleadingly. They were in a quiet street now.

"Don't waste your time over me," she whispered. "It's hopeless—and you only make me feel a brute. If you knew my heart, if you knew what I'm—I'm capable of, you'd turn from me with horror. There's only one man in this world for me—and if he came and asked me, I'd give myself to him, body and soul!"

Jack Bodlicott went white.

"Oh, lass, don't let me hear you speak words like that! Put 'im from your thoughts. Can't you put 'im from your thoughts?"

"I don't want to—I don't want to! Don't you understand? Memories are all that I have left me! Don't waste time over me, Jack, you're meant to make some good woman a happy wife—"

Boddlicott interrupted. His voice choked; he spoke broad dialect.

"If I can't 'ave you, Rose, I—I won't 'ave nobuddy!"

But Rose did not hear. Her face was white as death; her nostrils quivering; her eyes aflame. She seemed to be borne on wings, her speed ever increasing. Not another word was spoken till her home was reached. Then she held out her hand. Her lips went tight.

"Jack," she said, "you'd better not come to meet me any more; because—because it only means pain to both of us."

He had half-drawn something from a pocket; but let it slip back. It was a little present that he had purchased for her, more than a month previously; but something had always happened, or his courage had failed him at the last moment, and it had never been given. It was an imitation pearl necklace in a case—the case was hot now from the clutch of his honest hand.

"Nay, lass. You must let me come—I won't speak a word of love—I'll come just as a friend. I shall be there, same as usual, to-morrow evening."

"No," she cried desperately. "No. You're wasting your time over me."

She passed quickly into the house. The door slammed, shutting in tragedy, shutting out honest love.

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Having watched Rose King and her homely cavalier pass from sight, Vance lit his pipe and walked thoughtfully round the square. More than once he half-closed one eye. At another time, he tapped his blunt nose with a forefinger, or felt his chin as if pondering on the advisability of a shave. It was all indicative of a busy mind.

Departmental and routine work had kept him very busy since when he kept Roland Carstairs under observation. In the first instance, he had not been told off to watch the man officially. He had gone to Pentonville in his leisure time to study criminal character, and had been fascinated by a man's fitfully revealed personality and mysterious conduct. "One never knows" was a favourite expression of his. It had happened more than once that something observed on some casual occasion had unexpectedly dovetailed into some case put into his hands. All was fish that came to Vance's net, and he refused to acknowledge the existence of such things as trifles in detective work. Not only had he pondered over the mysterious doings of Roland Carstairs, but he had also made a number of inquiries and read up thoroughly the circumstances of his crime and trial. One never knew! Apart from the fascination of the mystery surrounding the man, all this material might be possibly of practical value one fine day. Another saying of Vance's was to the effect that whenever a woman figured in a case she was either a detective's most useful ally or his most dangerous enemy.

And Vance associated three women with Roland Carstairs—Rose King, the veiled woman whom Carstairs met by appointment outside King's Cross Station, and Clare Mainwaring. The paragraph in

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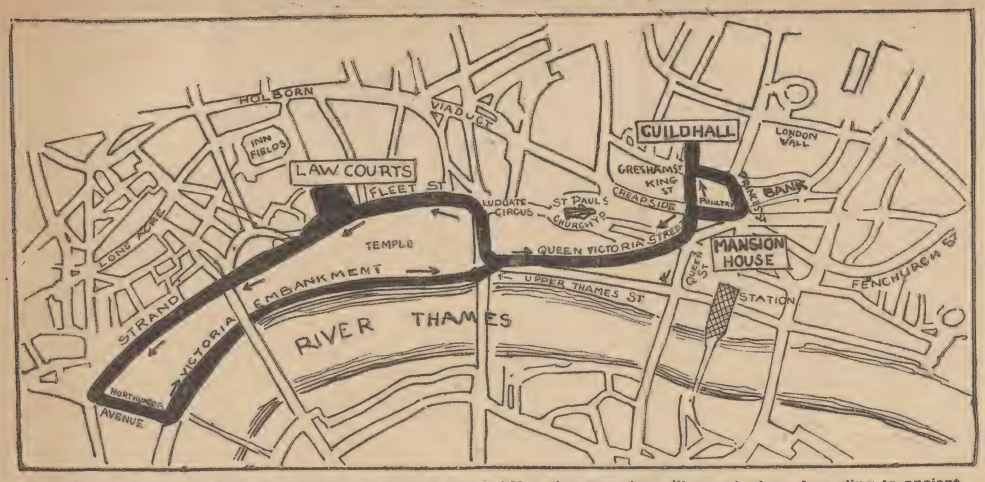
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'THE WOMAN TEMPTED ME.'

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the "Morning Post," responsible for Carstairs's sudden exhibition of wounded emotions, announced the engagement of Clare Mainwaring to the Honourable Ivor Armytage.

Carstairs's relations with Rose King appeared simple enough to Vance; his meeting with the veiled woman was undiluted mystery; but what had been Carstairs's relations with Clare Mainwaring?

And by one of those curious coincidences, one of those overlappings by no means uncommon in Vance's varied experience, Clare Mainwaring and Ivor Armytage were numbered among the many guests at Postern Abbey on the night of the burglary, the business responsible for the detective's presence in Leicester. He had gone through the list of visitors very carefully. One never knew! As a matter of fact, his own theory on the subject of the burglary was that it was the work of a London man with a local confederate. It would be his business to look for the London man. He had not arrived long, and had just quitted the chiefs of the Leicester police when he encountered Rose King.

But now, as he walked thoughtfully round the town hall square, Roland Carstairs had possession of his mind rather than the burglary. He told himself that of the three women whom he associated with the man, one at least was almost certain to be in communication with him. This assumption of his was based on his knowledge of human nature.

His pipe had gone out. He relit it.

"I should like to know which," he muttered. "I should like to get to the bottom of this business. They said that all but a thousand of the thirty thousand pounds went in wine, women, and horses. I hae my doots!" he tapped his blunt nose, and gave vent to a somewhat cryptic utterance. "Did he smack some of the swag, and put it to bed? If so, who's helping him to spend it now? And is he abroad?

Then Vance inwardly rebuked himself. He believed in doing the task nearest, and he was wandering from his present business.

He was sorry for Rose King. Love meant either heaven or hell for a woman with a face like hers. It depended on the man. And the honest fellow with her that evening? Again Vance shook his head. He had seen at a glance the pathos of Jack Boddlicott.

CHAPTER XI.

The burglary at Postern Abbey had been followed by considerable excitement, particularly among the servants. During the two days that followed, the premises were frequently invaded by police officials armed with note-books. The burglary was also held indirectly responsible for Mrs. Wilbraham's indisposition and the chill that kept Clare Mainwaring a prisoner to her rooms. Mrs. Wilbraham had sent all manner of charming messages to her guests, deputing one of the ladies to play the hostess in her stead, and begging everyone to remain at the Abbey, as she hoped to be in their midst again in the course of a day or two. The doctor had commanded her to bed; she was suffering from nervous exhaustion and a high temperature.

Balshaw had the library to himself. He was buried in the depths of a great chair, the book on his knees, unopened. The cigar he smoked was indented with teeth-marks. A note had been discreetly delivered him that morning by Mrs. Wilbraham's maid. It contained one word: "Thanks!" underlined. Since the night of confusion in the hall he had not set eyes on Clare.

The expression on her face, when Ivor Armytage played his little trick with Mrs. Wilbraham's handkerchief, was haunting Balshaw now. It made him writhe, because of its injustice. She had accepted the evidence of a woman's handkerchief picked up from the floor of his room, as proof of an intrigue between himself and the woman. There had been an expression almost approaching horror on her proud, frozen face as she turned away from him like a beautiful, moving statue. It was only then that he realised how high a position he must have held in her esteem.

It was his determination to set himself right in her eyes that still kept him at Postern Abbey. He was marking desperate time now—in the presence of others the cool, imperturbable, well-bred man; alone, a prey to doubts, remorse, and haunting fears, yet not crushed under by them, never grovelling under the accumulating load that circumstance was piling on his shoulders.

And as well as Clare's attitude towards himself, there was the mystery of the stolen letters. Who was the thief? Clare and these letters came always first in his thoughts. The lie he was living took second place; at moments it was completely forgotten. The thief, man or woman, had not taken the letters without a purpose—a purpose that must be revealed sooner or later.

He rose from his chair, and paced the room. If Grace Wilbraham had those letters, he would have them out of her; but he was not sure. The woman, who exercised a kind of animal magnetism over him, still baffled him. Even now he was uncertain whether he really appealed to her, or whether her whole attitude was one of self-defence and attack.

"Women, women, women!" Pym's cry was again droning in his ears, the tick of the Cromwellian clock beating time.

Instead of centreing his whole energy on what once had been the be-all and end-all of his life, instead of wandering over the world, studying it and reading it comprehensively, as he hungered to do when he drudged it at his desk, he had been completely drawn out of his course, out of a comparatively safe course, into one beset with shoals and quicksands and hidden reef.

He turned sharply as a man-servant entered, bearing a telegram. The laconic message was signed, "John Pym."

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(To be continued.)

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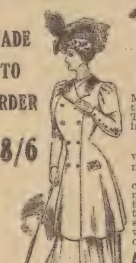
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LORD MAYOR'S DAY.

BEAUTIFUL DRESSES FOR THE MANSION HOUSE.

To-day is Lord Mayor's Day, and the dresses that are depicted on this page are those that will be worn by the Lady Mayoress, her maids-of-honour, and her little pages on the occasion of the Lord Mayor's inauguration at the Mansion House. The husband, who is the vicar of St. Philip's, Lambeth, will be the Lord Mayor's chaplain.

The Lady Mayoress's dress was made by Messrs. Russell and Allen, of Bond-street; it is the one illustrated on the left of the picture. Over white satin the very finest black net sprinkled all over with diamond and silver paillettes is posed, and trimmed with arabesques of black velvet edged with silver bugles and large crystal beads, which present a most handsome appearance.

The bodice, as the picture demonstrates, is a particularly graceful one, with sleeves of rich point de gaze for its principal feature, and trimmings of black velvet introduced in the form of wheels, and of a modestie, upon which the Lady Mayoress will wear a number of large and beautiful diamond stars. These she usually dons in the form of a tiara, but to-day she will put on a new diamond crown specially given to her by the Lord Mayor as a souvenir of this auspicious occasion.

The full Court train that is one of the essential items of a Lady Mayoress's dress for November 9 is made of black velvet edged with a bouillonnée of black tulle and bordered with rich antique lace, which, as well as the lace used for the sleeves, is a possession of Mrs. Hornby Steer. Diamond buckles gleam here and there threaded through the lace, and a couple are conspicuous on the shoulders,



Dresses worn to-day by the Lady Mayoress and her retinue, full particulars of which the adjoining letterpress gives.

Lady Mayoress, Mrs. Hornby Steer, is the niece of the new Lord Mayor, and will assume the part of hostess for him during his year of office. Her for from them the train is draped. They show the Lady Mayoress's initials in fine brilliants.

The maids-of-honour, whose gowns were also made by Messrs. Russell and Allen, include some grown-up demoiselles and some quite little girls, but all will wear frocks of the same design, with this difference, that those worn by the children will, of course, have short skirts. They are built of creamy-white mousseline de soie, trimmed with string-tinted Valenciennes lace, arranged in Watteau festoons upon the skirt.

The sleeves are particularly pretty, for they are entirely made of pleated frills of lace, and the décolletage line is most gracefully bordered with lace and galon composed of tufted silk that emphasises the colours of the robe.

Each maid-of-honour will wear upon her coiffure a wreath of pink Banksia roses, and will carry a bouquet of roses in her hand, while the Lady Mayoress is to bear with her a lovely bouquet made of white lilies and pure white orchids. Her little pageboys will wear black velvet Court suits buttoned with steel.

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THE MODERN GIRL.

A contemporary writes that "The manner in which the modern girl engages in outdoor sports precludes the possibility of retaining a perfect complexion. A choice has to be made as to which is most worth cultivating—efficiency in sport or a lovely complexion." Now, if this be true, it is distinctly "rough" on the modern girl, and, in fact, on all girls, for there are many other things besides outdoor sports which tend to make the possession of a perfect complexion an impossibility—to be boxed up day after day in an improperly ventilated room or office, to use day after day hard or impure water, to run the gauntlet of cold, biting winds—these and many other things are equally opposed to a perfect complexion. Our contemporary, however, was probably unaware that Nature, Bountiful Dame, has with her usual provident care given us a means of counteracting these ill-effects. Every woman can possess a clear, clean, healthy skin, every woman can develop a lovely transparent complexion if she will use the means which Nature has placed before her—Icilma Natural Water. If before going out and on coming in again she will spray or dab Icilma Water on her face and hands, if she will use the Exquisite Icilma Fluor Cream as her toilet cream, if she will make her daily toilet with Icilma, then she is following out Nature's own prescription, and a perfect complexion will result. Icilma Natural Water acts as a tonic on the skin; it thoroughly cleanses the pores in a natural way, and thus prevents blackheads and other troubles. Again, Icilma renders the skin soft, clear, and proof against the effects of exposure and cold; this is especially valuable, for it absolutely does away with that look of being brushed the wrong way which delicate skins assume in the cold. Thirdly, Icilma prevents and cures chaps, chilblains, and gouty eczema, heals cuts, bruises, burns, sore eyes, and wounds generally, and allays all the minor irritations which the skin is heir to. Truly a wonderful skin tonic! The virtues of Icilma Water have been incorporated in Icilma Fluor Cream and Icilma Natural Water Soap, which are unique and exquisite additions to the toilet.

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EXCITING SPORT AT LIVERPOOL.

Several Accidents—A Jockey Suspended—Phylloxera Wins Lancashire Handicap.

AQUATIC STEEPLECHASER.

LIVERPOOL, Wednesday Night.—It seemed in keeping with the character of the meeting at Aintree that the autumn gathering should commence with a steeplechase, for Liverpool bears the same relation to sport under National Hunt rules that Epsom does to flat-racing, inasmuch as one is the rendezvous for the Grand National and the other the classic site of the Derby.

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This Becher Steeplechase, run over two miles and a quarter of the finest jumping course in England, led to several rather interesting incidents. To begin with, the Irish pair, of whom so much had been heard, Hack Watch and Wild Fox, were both absentees. Dathi had been scratched, and very short prices were accepted about Onward. He won after a boring finish, and the protest which followed ended in the stewards disqualifying Onward and giving the race to Caper.

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Walsh, the rider of Onward, was further penalised in being suspended for the remainder of the meeting. The sentence was lenient enough, as this was only one of a series in which this jockey has been the subject of complaint, because of his dangerous mode of riding. Walsh does not seem to do mischief, but his method certainly requires supervision. Holoscope slipped up, and, throwing Waddington, galloped unpiloted into the canal, where he swam for about a furlong, and in climbing out cut himself.

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Retaliate found an easy task in a spread-eagled field for the County Plate, and, having beaten Guigne and others, was bought by Mr. Charles Hannam for 475 guineas. Goodness was rather knocked about in the scramble at the bend.

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Lord Derby and a party from Knowsley honoured the meeting, as usual, and of the small troop entered for the Liverpool St. Leger Lord Derby ran Persinus and Gourd, and scored to win with the latter. The former sported Lord Stanley's colours for distinction's sake. Shilfa has recently done so well for Sir R. Waldie-Griffith that backers made him favourite, and they had little fear for the investment till Kuroki challenged inside the distance and for some moments looked likely to win. But Kuroki has trained off since the early spring and appeared thin for any task. He faltered and gave way to Gourd, who had much the better luck when Shilfa was obliged to go very wide round the bend, thanks to the tactics of Persinus, whose task was making running for Gourd. But Shilfa proved better-lowered with stamina, and, well ridden by W. Halsey, scored very decisively.

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It was beautifully bright, and one could see the colours clearly without the aid of race-glasses throughout the circuit of the course, so the contest for the Lancashire Handicap was a pretty spectacle. The Page, from that mysterious stable governed by Mr. J. C. Sullivan, was apparently very well supported. The horse, the winner of the Ebor Handicap, had finished fourth in the Cesarewitch, so it was fairly assumed he held a really good chance over this mile and seven furlongs. Long Tom was well backed, so was Phylloxera. Few persons had the hardihood to bet on Caro, who, by the way, ran in Lord Derby's, rather than in Mr. George Lambton's, colours.

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The Page began very slowly, and, as a matter of fact, played an indifferent part in the race. Ferment showed up promisingly, but the small jockey could not guide him round the paddock turn, and, running very wide, lost his place. Then Saltpetre assumed command, and Long Tom ran smoothly and well all the way. But none of the troop were able to hold out against Phylloxera, who strode out halfway up the straight, to score very comfortably from Debutante, the latter's being a most creditable performance.

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Saltpetre, when within a hundred yards of the goal, hit the rails and fell over. His apprentice jockey had a marvellous escape from fatal injury. He pitched clear of the horse and, though under the feet of the struggling animal when arising, was not seriously hurt.

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The course is by no means of the safest character. No curved course can be safe when the ground is on the soft side. There have been some dreadful accidents on it, and we were reminded of that fact when, in the following race, the Knowsley Nursery, Plant came down as a consequence of the scrimmaging round the bend. It pitched his mount, Blue China sideways, and the filly fell before getting far up the straight. The top-weight, Bill of the Play, had a an earlier date done good service over this course for Sir William Thursby. The colt was well up with the leaders from flag-fall, and ultimately won a good race from the highly-fancied Feerique and Winnie K.

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Sheer gameness enabled Galeas to capture the Westmorland Plate from March Flower, Pollion, even on a comparatively easy course, dying out below the distance. Nor was there any luck for the Derby colours in the final race, the Prospect Plate.

SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

LIVERPOOL.

12.40.—Anchor Nursery—ROSE LIPS.
1.10.—Alt Plate—ALT FLOWER.
1.50.—Sefton Steeplechase—HACK WATCH.
2.20.—Cup Course Plate—STADTHOLDER.
2.50.—Witherslack Plate—GOLDWIN.
3.20.—Stewards' Plate—CHELYS.
3.50.—Duchy Plate—PETIT BLEU.

SPECIAL SELECTION.

MARCH FLOWER.
GREY FRIARS.

LIVERPOOL RACING RETURNS.

12.50.—DECHER STEEPLECHASE of 125 sovs to the winner, with an additional 15 sovs to the second and 10 sovs to the third. About two miles and a quarter.

Mr. A. M. Singer's CAPER, 5yrs, 11st ..... Faulkner 1
Mr. J. Lowe's OAKLANDS, 5yrs, 11st ..... W. Morgan 2
Also ran: Holoscope (Waddington), Onward (Walsh) (disq.).
(Winner trained by Davies.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life" Prices: 6 to 5 agst Onward, 7 to 2 each Oaklands and Caper, and 7 to 1 Holoscope. "Sportsman" prices the same. Onward won by a length and a half; eight lengths separated second and third. An objection to Onward for bumping and boring was sustained, and the race awarded to Caper.

1.20.—COUNTY SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. Knowsley Course (five furlongs).

Mr. H. Bottomley's RETALIATE, 2yrs, 6st 11lb ..... Templeman 1
Mr. C. H. Hannam's GUIGNE, 5yrs, 8st 9lb ..... Martin 2
Mr. A. Belmont's SEMITE, 3yrs, 8st 10lb ..... K. Cannon 3
Also ran: King's Birthday (t. Mosse), Cornett (Mr. Hon. Jimmy (Madden), Wild Vixen (Howey), Test Match (Griggs), King Sapphire (Flanagan), Goodrest (Trigg).
(Winner trained by Batho.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life" Prices: 2 to 1 agst Retaliate, 7 to 2 Goodrest, 4 to 1 Guigne, 8 to 1 Semite, 10 to 1 each Hon. Jimmy and Wild Vixen, and 100 to 7 each others. "Sportsman" prices the same. Won easily by two lengths; four lengths separated the second and third.

1.50.—SEVENTY-SIXTH LIVERPOOL ST. LEGER of 700 sovs; for three-year-olds. One mile and a half.

Sir R. W. Griffith's SHILFA, 8st 7lb ..... Halsey 1
Lord Derby's GOURD, 8st 3lb ..... Higgs 2
Mr. W. G. Singer's KUROKI, 9st ..... Madden 3
Also ran: Persinus (Rickaby), Botto Voce (Griggs).
(Winner trained by R. Sherwood.)

Lord Derby declared to win with Gourd.

Betting.—"Sporting Life" Prices: Evens Shilfa, 2 to 1 agst Gourd, 6 to 1 Kuroki, and 20 to 1 each others. "Sportsman" prices the same. Won by a length and a half; a length separated the second and third.

2.20.—LANCASHIRE HANDICAP of 500 sovs. One mile seven furlongs.

Mr. W. M. G. Singer's PHYLLOXERA, 6yrs, 8st 11lb ..... Madden 1
Mr. F. Langstaff's DEBUTANTE, 5yrs, 7st 6lb ..... Wheatley 2
Mr. G. A. Prentice's KARAKOUL, 6yrs, 8st 11lb ..... Rickaby 3
Also ran: Saltpetre (Rees), Long Tom (Escott), The Page (Higgs), Caro (Martin), Ferment (Jennings).
(Winner trained by Taylor.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life" Prices: 5 to 2 agst The Page, 7 to 2 Saltpetre, 100 to 8 each Caro and Ferment, 100 to 7 Debutante, Sportsman prices the same. Won easily by four lengths; three lengths separated the second and third.

2.50.—KNOWSLEY NURSERY STAKES (handicap) of 700 sovs, for two-year-olds. Knowsley Course (five furlongs).

Sir J. Taursby's BILL OF THE PLAY, 8st 8lb ..... Halsey 1
Mr. W. Wilson's FEERIQUE, 8st 11lb ..... Templeman 2
Mr. J. Neville's WINNIE K., 7st 9lb ..... Lynham 3
Also ran: Catapult (Vivian), Gold Coin (Blades), Marconigram (Higgs), Nurang (Lawson), Ignorance (Martin), Puss (Wheatley), Western Flower filly (Mr. Flagfall (Trigg), Thrums (Flanagan), Elizabeth Hardwick filly (Griggs), Evelyn colt (Howard), Blue China (Plant).
(Winner trained by G. Edwards.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life" Prices: 2 to 1 agst Bill of the Play, 7 to 1 Ignorance, 8 to 1 Feerique, 10 to 1 each Western Flower filly and Puss, 100 to 8 each Marconigram, Lamb and Flag, and Thrums, 100 to 7 Catapult, 100 to 6 each Nurang, Winnie K., and Elizabeth Hardwick filly, 20 to 1 each others. "Sportsman" price the same. Won by three parts of a length; a neck separated the second and third.

3.25.—WESTMORLAND SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. One mile.

Mr. J. Fagan's GALEAS, 3yrs, 9st 3lb ..... Lynham 1
Mr. F. C. Parker's MARCH FLOWER, 3yrs, 9st 13lb ..... Wheatley 2
Mr. C. H. Hannam's RAVEN'S FLIGHT, 6yrs, 10st 4lb ..... Martin 3
Also ran: Pollion (Hare), Akbar (Jarvis), Cross Park (B. Dillon), Guernsey lily colt (Madden), John Shark (Higgs), Aura (McQuinlan), Sarah (Griggs).
(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life" Prices: 5 to 2 agst Raven's Flight, 7 to 2 each March Flower and Pollion, 100 to 12 each Galeas and John Shark, 10 to 1 Aura, 100 to 8 each others. "Sportsman" Price: 7 to 1 Galeas. Won by a head; three lengths separated the second and third.

3.55.—PROSPECT APPRENTICE PLATE of 110 sovs. One mile.

Mr. L. de Rothschild's KUNSTLER, aged, 8st 10lb ..... Jennings
Mr. W. R. Wyndham's TAMASHA, 4yrs, 9st 3lb Thomas 2
Lord Derby's EUGENIA GELDING, 3yrs, 8st Lancaster 3
Also ran: Cortona (Stevenson), Nena (Quinn), Moll Tooler gelding (Flanaghan).
(Winner trained by Wilson.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life" Prices: 6 to 4 agst Nena, 7 to 2 each Tamasha and Eugenia gelding, 5 to 1 Cortona, 10 to 1 each Kunstler and Moll Tooler gelding. "Sportsman" Price: 4 to 1 Eugenia gelding. Won by a length; two lengths separated second and third.

LIVERPOOL PROGRAMME.

12.40.—ANCHOR NURSERY STAKES (handicap) of 500 sovs. Anchor Bridge Course (six furlongs).

	st	lb
Farast	8	10
aLa Vie	8	2
aHear Hear c	8	2
aKilruddery	8	0
aWrecks c	7	13
Bridge of Canny	7	9
aRose Lips	7	9
Snetch	7	6
Flying Duck	7	5
Recall c	7	4
aStar	7	3
aShalalah	7	2
Eugenia c	7	2
aInductor	7	0
aKelo	7	0
aChiltern	7	0
Isleta	6	7

1.10.—ALT ALL-AGED SELLING PLATE of 150 sovs. Anchor Bridge Course (six furlongs).

	yrs	st	lb
aRosano	4	9	4
aHonours	4	9	1
aHand in Hand	5	9	1
aJohn Shark	4	9	0
aSir Hector	3	9	0
aMarch Flower	3	9	0
aMinikin	3	8	11
aNena	3	8	11
aLady Ascot	3	8	7
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1.50.—GRAND SEFTON STEEPLECHASE (handicap) of 500 sovs. From the Canal Point (about three miles).

	yrs	st	lb
Ranunculus	a	12	7
aMeffan	a	12	5
Scisdon Prince	6	12	3
Aunt May	a	12	1
aLively Lad	6	12	0
What Next	a	11	9
aCommunist	6	11	8
aHack Watch	5	11	7
Hill of Bree	a	11	6
aLiberte	a	11	6
aApollino	6	11	6
aNeruda	a	11	2
aThe Actuary	a	11	1
aHercules II.	a	11	0
The Pride of Mabestown	a	10	13
aKolian	5	10	12
The Lawyer III.	a	10	11
aMathew	a	10	10
Canter Home	a	10	6
a McSweeny	6	10	5

2.20.—CUP COURSE SELLING PLATE of 150 sovs. One mile and three furlongs.

	yrs	st	lb
aTemplemore	a	9	4
aSt. Moritz	a	9	4
aMonbright III.	3	9	0
aLisdiffre	a	9	4
aStadtholder	3	9	0
aS'y Nothing	6	9	0
aLord Wick	5	8	11
aAura	3	8	11

2.50.—WITHERSLACK PLATE of 300 sovs, for two-year-olds. Knowsley Course (five furlongs).

	st	lb
Canterbury Pilgrim f	8	7
a Appleshaw	8	7
Bridge of Canny	8	7
Plum Tree	8	7
aGoldwin	8	7
Cording	8	7
Guise	8	7
Stop Thief c	8	7
aCatul	8	7
aMachakos	8	7
Reconciliation	8	4
Royal Rosary	8	4
aLady Raeburn f	8	4
Applemint g	8	4
Nailcoins	8	4

3.20.—STEWARDS' PLATE (handicap) of 350 sovs. Anchor Bridge Course (six furlongs).

	yrs	st	lb
aGuardas	5	8	7
aHelms Lacy	5	8	7
aAvita	5	8	12
aJayson	4	8	10
aAkbar	5	7	3
aCleys	4	9	0
Airlie	4	8	13
aOtherwise	4	8	0
aWilliam's Hill	4	7	11
aMaggie	3	7	11
Royal	3	7	9
aLady Honora	3	7	7
aSemite	3	6	13
aCanty Bay	3	6	12

3.50.—DUCHY PLATE of 150 sovs. One mile and a furlong.

	yrs	st	lb
aMida	6	9	10
aBolyphird	5	9	0
Whinsdown	4	9	4
a Airlie	4	10	2
Syncopate	4	9	1
aPetit Bleu	5	8	13
Brilliance	3	8	10
aFloramour	3	7	12
aChacrot	a	10	2

CHARITY FOOTBALL AT TOTTENHAM.

'Spurs Beat Rangers After a Grand Game—Famous Players Against Cantabs.

JACKSON JOINS WEST HAM.

At Tottenham yesterday the 'Spurs beat Queen's Park Rangers by 2 goals to none in the first round of the Southern Charity Cup, after a splendidly contested game, in which both sides played excellent football.

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It has become fashionable of late to write down all "Soccer" football but that played under the auspices of the League, or the Southern League, and the later stages of the English Cup. And whilst there has perhaps been an amount of justice in the adverse criticism of certain recent Western League games, there could have been no cavilling at the spectacle afforded in yesterday's match.

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There was plenty of dash and vigour in the play, and both sides obviously tried all they could to win. Both clubs cut their strongest available side, the only changes being that Watson, who was hurt in the Swindon match, was replaced at back in the Tottenham team by Chaplin, and that Gardner took Roberts's place at outside left for the Rangers.

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There was not a great deal between the sides on the day's play, but the 'Spurs were always the cleverer team. Their forward work was delightful, the passes being given and taken in a style reminiscent of the great 1900-1 eleven, which won the Cup. Indeed, since that time the Tottenham club have never been better served by their forwards than at present. It will be a puzzle to the managers which of the line to leave out when Woodward makes his long-looked-forward-to appearance. Yesterday Glen was quite the best forward on the field, and Kyle and Chapman, the other two inside men, were admirable.

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Bull played a good game at centre half for the 'Spurs, but the great feature of the work of the line was the play of Morris, who is now showing quite his old form again. Chaplin, the reserve back, who deputised for Watson, is a stalwart, dashing player, who, with experience in first-class football, should develop into a useful man. Eggett, in goal, however, was not too sound. He is too fond of fisting the ball, and made a couple of blunders which might have cost his side dearly; one of these was only covered by a splendid bit of work by Tait.

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Although beaten, the Rangers have not often played better this season. Hitch, at centre half, was, as usual, admirable. I never remember seeing the Rangers' captain play a bad game. Downing also was good in this line. The forwards battled gamely against the strong Tottenham defence, but Yenson, in the centre, was rather overplayed by Bull, and had few chances. Thompson, on the left wing, was excellent, and since this promising young player was promoted from the reserves he has come on by leaps and bounds.

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I have never seen Lyon, the ex-amateur back, play better. His tackling was good and his kicking excellent. Newlands, who had rare encounters with Chapman, in which honours were pretty easy, was also in good form. Taken all round the play reached a high standard, which shows how highly the competition for the "Evening News" Cup is considered by the Southern clubs. Altogether there must have been nearly 7,000 spectators present, and about £150 will be shared by the clubs and the charity.

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Cambridge performed excellently yesterday at Ludgrove, in beating a good side, which included such well-known players at G. O. Smith, W. J. Oakley, C. Wreford-Brown, W. U. Timmis, and F. Middleton, by 3 goals to 2. Both "G. O." and Oakley proved that they are very far from "has-beens," and their work was a great factor in keeping the game as even as it was. Birks and R. A. Young were early prominent for Cambridge, who continued well among their forwards, and scored the only goal of the first half, Cornelius driving the ball past the goalkeeper in clever style.

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In the second half Bryant equalised from a pass by Beasley, but a clever movement by Young, Roberts, and Cornelius ended in the latter putting Cambridge ahead. The same player shortly added another goal for the Light Blues, a shot by Birks, which rebounded from the post, giving him an open goal to shoot at. The Masters pressed strongly after these reverses, "G. O." being in great form, and Corbett eventually scored off a pass from McIver. This was the last of the scoring, and the game ended in a nice win for the Cantabs.

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The game at Oxford, between the 'Varsity and Middlesex, was a poor one, and was spoilt by G. V. Goodliffe and J. E. Snell, of Oxford, being injured in the first half, and having to retire, with the result that the Dark Blues finished with but nine men. Late in the second half H. H. Simpson, one of the County forwards, was also hurt, and also had to leave the field. It is noteworthy that G. D. Lovegrove, who was introduced into the Oxford goal, gave a capital display. Oxford, in spite of being so short-handed, nearly won, as it was late in the game when Fuller scored an equalising goal for Middlesex.

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Portsmouth gave their famous forward, "Billy" Smith, a well-earned benefit yesterday when they opposed Reading in a Western League match at Fratton Park. There was a capital attendance, fully 5,000 spectators being present. Portsmouth were all through the better team, and Cunliffe, W. Smith, and Harris scored for them, with the result that they won by 3 to 0.

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A match, in connection with the South-Eastern Counties championship, between Surrey and Hertfordshire, was played at Thornton Heath yesterday. Surrey were the better team, and in the first half scored three goals. Buck obtained two and Woodger one. After the change of ends Woodger added another goal and Gurney scored for Herts. Further goals were scored for Surrey by Woodger and Ratcliffe, who won easily by 6 to 1. The feature of the match was the excellent play of G. Woodger (the Croydon Wanderers' centre forward, for the winners.

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The well-known Arsenal full-back and captain, James Jackson, has resigned his position of manager to the Leyton Football Club and has joined West Ham United. West Ham have been in need of a good back for some time, and in Jackson they have secured one of the best players in that position in the country. He was certainly the most popular man in the Arsenal team, and great surprise was manifested when he left the club to join Leyton.

CITIZEN.

'VARSITY ATHLETICS.

Good Performance in Oxford and Cambridge Freshmen's Sports.

The Freshmen's sports at Cambridge were concluded yesterday. Scottish athletes were prominent competitors, K. C. McLeod (Fettes and Pembroke) winning the 100 yards race in 10 3-5sec., and long jump at 20ft. 0½in. R. H. L. Watson (Glenalmond and Trinity) won throwing-the-hammer at 70ft. 2in., and finished second to McLeod in the sprint.

R. P. Crabbe (Corpus), the Light Blue half-miler, was again in good form, winning the mile open handicap, with an allowance of 13yds., in 4min. 23 2-5sec. A. R. Welsh (Trinity) finished third from scratch.

T. H. Just (St. Paul's and Trinity) won the half-mile in the good time of 2min. 3 4-5sec., and R. B. Horsefield (Harrow and Trinity), who was third in the half-mile, won the quarter-mile in 54sec. B. S. Dugall (Tonbridge and Pembroke) just beat M. B. M. Dewar (Rugby and Trinity), after an exciting struggle, in the three miles race, the winner's time being 15min. 55 4-5sec.

The 120 yards hurdles race was won by C. Grace (University College, London, and Clare). A. E. D. Anderson (Eton and Trinity), who injured a leg muscle in the preliminary heats of this race on Monday, was missed from several contests yesterday.

At the Iffley-road ground, yesterday, the Oxford University sports were concluded, with the exception of the two miles race, which is fixed for next Tuesday.

The most noteworthy feat was that accomplished at throwing the hammer. That event was won by A. M. Stevens, of Vale University and Balliol, at 124ft. 8in.—a best on record for the Freshmen's sports. W. W. Thayer (Trinidad and Magdalen) was second at 110ft. 1in. The winner, who was not at all extended, throws in splendid style, and is evidently capable of even better things.

P. S. Darling (Winchester and New) won the quarter-mile race in 53 3-5sec. H. F. Eidlmann (Frankfort and Trinity)—a Rhodes Scholar—was second.

There was an interesting finish in the mile race, which was won by the public schools mile and half-mile champion, S. P. L. Lloyd (South-Eastern College, Ramsgate and Magdalen) in 4min. 47sec. Floyd also won the final heat of the Freshers' half-mile on Monday.

G. A. Fuller Maitland (Wellington and Oriel) won the 100 yards in 11sec.

The high jump was won by A. N. Doorly (Trinidad and St. John's) at 5ft. 4½in.

FOOTBALL RESULTS AT A GLANCE.

ASSOCIATION.

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Portsmouth (h) ..... 3 Reading 0
(Cunliffe, W. Smith, Harris)

SOUTHERN CHARITY CUP.

Tottenham Hotspur (h).. 2 Queen's Park Rangers .. 0
(Kyle, Glen)

COUNTY MATCH.

Surrey (h) ..... 6 Hertfordshire 1
(Woodger 3, Buck 2, Ratcliffe.) (Gurney.)

ARMY CUP.

2nd Grenadier Guards ... 4 3rd Coldstream Guards.. 0

OTHER MATCHES.

Oxford University (h) .. 2 Middlesex 2
(Foster, Wright.) (Fuller, Snell.)
Cambridge University . 5 Ludgrove Masters (h) .. 2
(Cornelius 3.) (Bryant, B. O. Corbett.)

RUGBY.

pts. pts.
Old Merchant Taylors ... 9 R.I.E.C. (h) 0
(Tries: Harding 2, Lee; Goal: Sanders.)
Lancashire (h) ..... 3 Northern Universities .. 5
(Pinion.) (Averill.)

TO-DAY'S RUGBY MATCH.

Cambridge: Cambridge University v. New Zealanders.

CANTABS' TEAM FOR NEW ZEALANDERS.

Yesterday evening the University team to meet the New Zealanders to-day was definitely settled. It was decided to play five three-quarters, and Young comes in at half instead of Bryant, who is injured.

The team is as follows: J. G. Sconlar, back; J. Burt Marshall, K. G. McLeod, W. M. Penny, L. M. McLeod, and H. F. P. Hearson, three-quarters; T. G. Pitt and J. W. Young, half-backs; H. G. Monteith, B. G. Harris, J. W. Alexander, R. McCosh, F. J. V. Hopley, R. B. Gibbons, and W. C. Curcie, forwards.

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7 to 1 ... Park Ranger (t) | 20 to 1 ... Falconet (t)

LATEST SCRATCHINGS.

Liverpool Cup.—Chuckaway and Kano (at 9 a.m. yesterday).

All engagements.—Opaline (dead), Princess Florizel, Bonanza, Glenfinella, Aliena, Decoyman, Kalimara, Roumania, and Isleham (dead).

C. Trigg will ride Park Ranger in the Liverpool Cup to-morrow.

At Sandridge Park yesterday Kent beat Essex at hockey by 4 goals to 2.

Mr. T. Leader's apprentice, Blades, has been engaged to ride Cape Verde in the Derby Gold Cup.

The hockey match between Cambridge University and Blackheath at Blackheath yesterday resulted in an easy win for the 'Varsity by 5 goals to 1.

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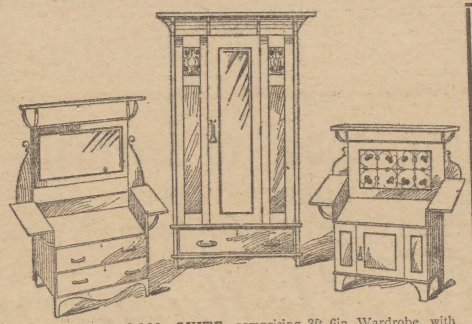
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